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HOUSE AND SENATE ARE NOW READY FOR ACTION.

CUBAN REPUBLIC NOT RECOGNIZED.

The House Votes to Strike Out That Clause in Senate Resolution.

Fourteen Republicans Break Their Party Ties and Vote With the Democrats.

Bailey and Reed Engage in Their Daily Controversy and the Texan Questions the Speaker's Veracity.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Immediately upon the House convening at 10 o'clock this morning, in accordance with the recess taken Saturday morning, Mr. Dingley, the Republican floor leader, moved an adjournment, which motion was carried. The regular session therefore began at noon.

The majority gave as the reason for adjournment that no message could be received from the Senate until that body is in session. The feeling was very intense among the Republicans, and there was every indication of a bitter contest.

After adjournment the Republican leaders, who had mapped out the programme of rejecting the clause of the Senate resolutions providing for the recognition of the independence of the present republic, continued laboring with colleagues who obstinately refused to acquiesce. The opposition on the Republican side, though small, was resolute.

The Speaker summoned his lieutenants to his room, and the situation was earnestly discussed. Every Republican who was likely to break over the traces was surrounded by a crowd of his colleagues and besieged with arguments and reasons why he could not be justified in joining the opposition at this critical juncture. But, headed by Messrs. Lorimer and Mann of Illinois and Bromwell of Ohio, most of them refused to be persuaded.

The Populists had an informal conference during the interim in the House and decided to stand to a man for the Senate resolution.

Several Senators were on the floor, among them Senator Burrows of Michigan, appealing to their colleagues of the House to stand by the President.

The scene on the floor resembled a political convention. Members were scurrying about, caucusing in groups and discussing the situation. The uncertainty of the issue was admitted on all hands, although the Republican leaders had a strategic advantage in compelling the first vote to be taken upon their own proposition, measureably strengthening their position.

The Republicans of several State delegations, among others those of the Pennsylvania and Illinois delegations, caucused. In both these delegations the sentiment for concurrence in the Senate amendments was strong. A. Stone of Pennsylvania joined Messrs. Robbins and Acheson, and the last named, it is said, won over Mr. Young of Philadelphia.

The Republicans of the Pennsylvania delegation, with three exceptions, decided to vote for concurrence with the Senate resolutions as reported from the Foreign Relations Committee, but eliminating the recognition clause.

In the Illinois delegation Messrs. Lorimer and Mann were the leaders. Five others agreed to vote with them for the Senate amendments.

Shortly before 12 o'clock, Senator Hanna appeared on the floor of the House and had a consultation with General Grosvenor of Ohio. The General informed the Ohio Senator that he considered the action of the House very doubtful.

As the hands of the clock pointed at noon the Speaker ascended the rostrum and with one resounding whack of his gavel silenced the confusion on the floor and the hum of conversation in the crowded galleries.

It was an impressive scene as the members listened with bowed heads to the solemn invocation of the blind chaplain. No sooner had the chaplain ceased, however, than the confusion was redoubled, as the members labored during the last few precious moments.

The reading of the journal had not been concluded before the clerk of the Senate announced the passage of the Cuban resolutions with Senate amendments. Instantly the galleries were all attention, and members leaned forward in their seats. The leaders watched each other with alert features.

The first move was important, and the resolutions were read. The declaration with regard to the recognition of the independence of Cuba was vociferously cheered by the Democrats. This demonstration was repeated when the reading was completed.

Both Mr. Dingley, leader of the Republicans, and Mr. Bailey were on their feet. Mr. Dingley was recognized, and he immediately moved concurrence in the Senate amendment, with an amendment striking out the clause to the first resolution which recognized the independence of the existing republic. The actual form of the motion, which was reduced to writing, was as follows:

"I move to concur in the Senate amendment to the House joint resolution, with an amendment striking out in the first paragraph the 'are' and also the words 'and that the Government of the United States hereby recognizes the Republic of Cuba as the true and lawful Government of that island,' so that the first paragraph of the Senate will read as follows: 'First, that the people of the Island of Cuba of right ought to be free and independent.'"

Upon his motion Mr. Dingley demanded the previous question, which served to cut off amendment and debate.

Mr. Bailey, who was immediately on his feet, asked if the motion to concur with an amendment precluded a motion to concur, and was informed by the Speaker that it would not if the motion was voted down. It was a moment of intense excitement.

Mr. Johnson (Rep.) of Indiana and Mr. Bromwell of Ohio were on their feet, both demanding recognition to state preliminary inquiries. The former wanted to ask unanimous consent to address the House in antagonism to the motion, but he was howled down. But when Mr. Bromwell, a moment later, declared that he wished to offer an amendment to concur, the Democratic side sent up cheer after cheer. The Republican side was ominously silent. The Speaker sternly commanded order, and then informed Mr. Bromwell that his motion could not be entertained until that of Mr. Dingley had been disposed of.

Mr. Bailey, under cover of making a parliamentary inquiry, brought out clearly the fact that, unless the motion of Mr. Dingley was voted down, the House could not vote on the motion to concur, of which Mr. Bromwell had given notice.

Mr. Sulzer (Dem.) of New York attempted to interpose with the point of order that Mr. Bromwell's motion took precedence over Mr. Dingley. He had a copy of the rules in his hand and was prepared to argue the question, but the Speaker unceremoniously declined to hear him.

No division was asked on the motion for the previous question, but upon the main question a chorus of demands from both sides went up for the ayes and noes.

The roll call was watched with intense interest. The Democrats started to applaud every Republican who voted "No," but the promised defection of over twenty-five members on the Republican side did not materialize. The Democrats only had fourteen opportunities to applaud. It was apparent before the end of the first roll call that they were defeated. Their disappointment was manifest on their faces, while the countenances of the Republicans were correspondingly joyful over the victory.

When Mr. Boutelle of Maine ascertained that the motion had carried by a majority, he withdrew his vote and was recorded present.

The announcement of the vote was 179 to 156, and the decisive victory was loudly applauded by the Republicans.

Fourteen Republicans voted with the Democrats and Populists, as follows:

Bromwell, Brown, Colson, Cooper of Wisconsin, Dorr, Johnson of Indiana, Johnson of North Dakota, Lorrimer, Loud, Mahany, Mann, Sulloway, Warner and White of Illinois.

One Populist, Howard of Alabama, voted "Aye" with the Republicans.

There was a hot tilt between the Speaker and Mr. Bailey after the vote, ending in the latter denouncing a statement of the Speaker "as absolutely false."

Mr. Sherman (Rep.) of New York, who had been selected as a referee in the controversy between Messrs. Bartlett (Dem.) of Georgia and Brumm (Rep.) of Pennsylvania, over the sensational personal encounter of last Wednesday, then read a statement to which both had subscribed. The apology to the House was made through Mr. Sherman, who stated that the matter had been adjusted satisfactorily to both gentlemen and that both had apologized. This honorable settlement of the difficulty which had been the subject of comment among the members for several days, was received with general expressions of approval. The House then quieted down and proceeded under the call of committees to consider minor matters.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—In the House Dingley at once moved that the House insist on its amendment and ask a conference.

Mr. Bromwell of Ohio moved to concur in the Senate amendments. Yeas and nays were ordered on Bromwell's motion to concur.

DINGLEY'S MOTION CARRIED.

The official vote on Bromwell's motion was 148 to 172. Dingley moved tho insist and ask a conference. This was carried.

The following is the vote in detail on the Dingley motion:

YEAS, ACHESON, ADAMS, ALD-

Yeas—ACHESON, ADAMS, ALDRICH, ALEXANDER, ARNOLD, BABCOCK, BAKER, BARNHAM, BARTHOLDT, BEACH, BELDEN, BELFORD, BELKNAP, BENNETT, BISHOP, BOOZE, BOUTELLE (Ill.), BREWSTER, BRODERICK, BROWNLOW, BULL, BRUMM, BURLEIGH, BURTON, BUTLER, CANNON, CAPRON, CHICKERING, CLARK (Iowa), CLARK (N. H.), COCHRAN (N. Y.), CODDING, CONNELL, CONNOLLY, CORLISS, COUSINS, CRUMP, CRUMPACKER, CURTIS, DALZEL, DANFORD, DAVENPORT, DAVISON, DAYTON, DINGLEY, DOLLIVER, DOVENOR, EDDY, ELLIS, EVANS, FARIS, FISCHER, FLETCHER, FOOTE, FOSS, FOWLER (N. J.), GARDNER, GIBSON, GILLETTE (N. Y.), GILLETTE (Mass.), GRAFF, GRIFFIN, GROSVENOR, GROUT, GROW, HAGER, HAMILTON, HARMER, HAWLEY, HEATWOLE, HEMINGWAY, HENDERSON, HENRY (Conn.), HENRY (Ind.), HEPBURN, HICKS, HILBORN, HILL, HOOKER, HOPKINS, HOWARD (Ala.), HOWE, HOWELL, HULL, HURLEY, JENKINS, JOY, KERR, KETCHAM, KIRKPATRICK, KNOX, KULP, LACEY, LANDIS, LAWRENCE, LINNEY, LITTAUER, LOUDENSLAGER, LOVERING, LOW, LYBRAND, McCALL, McCLEARY, McDONALD, McEWAN, McINTYRE, MAHON, MARSH, MERCER, MESICK, MILLER, MILLS, MINER, MITCHELL, MOODY, MORRIS, MUDD, NORTHWAY, ODELL, OLMSTEAD, OTJEN, OVERSTREET, PACKER, PARKER, PAYNE, PIERCE, PEARSON, PERKINS, PITNEY, PRINCE, PUGH, QUIGG, RAY, REEVES, ROBBINS, ROYCE, RUSSELL, SHANNON, SHATTUCK, SHELDON, HERMANN, SHOWALTER, SMITH, (Ills.), SMITH (S. D.), W. A. SMITH, SNOVER, SOUTHARD, SOUTHWICK, SPALDING, SPERRY, SPRAGUE, STEELE, STEVENS, STEWART (N. J.), STEWART (WIS.), STONE, C W., STONE, W. A., SODE STURTEVANT, TAWNEY, TAYLOR (OHIO), THORPE, TONGUE, UPDEGRAFF, VAN VORHEES, WALKER (MASS.), WALKER (VERMONT), WANGER, WARD, WEAVER, WYMOUTH, WILLIAMS, (PA.) YOST, YOUNG (PA.)

Total 178—caused by Representative Boutelle of Maine, after the announcement, changing his vote from "yea" to "present."

Nays—ADAMSON, ALLEN, BAILEY, BARNES, (ILL.), BALL BANKHEAD, BARLOW, BARTLETT, BELL, BENNER, BENTON, BLAND, BODINE, BOTKIN, BRADLEY, BRANTLEY, RENNER, BROMWELL, BROUSSARD, BROWN, BRUCKER, BRUNDIDGE, BURKE, CAMPBELL, CARMACK, CASTLE, CATCHINGS, CLARDY, CLARK (MO.) CLAYTON, COCHRAN, (MO.), COLSON, COONEY COOPER (TEXAS), COOPER, (Wis.) COWHERD, COX, CUMMINGS, DAVEY, DAVIS, DEARMOND, DE GRAFFENREID, DEVRIES, DENSMORE, DOCKERY, DORR, BRIGGS, ELLIOTT, ERMENTROUT, FITZGERALD, FITZPATRICK, FLEMING, FOWLER, (N. C.), FOX, GAINS, GREENE, GRIFFITH, GRIGGS, GUNN, HANDY, HARTMAN, HAY, HENRY, (Miss.), HENRY, (Tex.), HINRICHSEN, HOWARD, (Ga.), HUNTER, JETT, JOHNSON, (Ind.), JOHNSON, (North Dak.), JONES, (V.), JONES, (Wash.), KELLY, KING, KLEBERG, KNOWLES, LAMB, LANHAM, LATTIMER, LENTZ, LESTER, LEWIS, (Ga.), LEWIS, (Wash.), LITTLE, LIVINGSTON, LLOLD, LORIMER, LOUD, LOVE, McCLELLAN, McCORMICK, McCULLOCH, McDOWELL, McMILLAN, McRAE, MADDOX, MAGUIRE, MAHANY, MANN, MARSHALL, MARTIN, MAXWELL, MEEKINSON, MEYER, (La.), MIERS, MOON, NEWLANDS, NORTON, (OHIO,) NORTON, (S. C.), OGDEN, OTEY, PETERS, PIERCE, (Tenn.), RHEA, RICHARDSON, RIDGELY, RIXEY, ROBBS, ROBERTSON, ROLLINSON, SAYERS, SETTLE, SHAFROTH, SHUFORD, SIMPSON, SIMS, SLAYDEN, SMITH, (Ky.), SPARKMAN, STROWD, SULLIVAN, SULLOWAY, SULZER, SUTHERLAND, SWANSON, TALBERT, TATE, TAYLOR, (Ala.), TERRY, TODD, UNDERWOOD, VANDEVER, VINCENT, WARNER, WHEELER, (Alabama), WHEELER, (Ky), WHITE, (Ills.), WILLIAMS, (Mississippi), WILSON, YOPUNG, (Va.), ZENOR. Total, 156.

"Present."—BERRY and BOUTELLE, (Maine).

Total yeas 178. Nays 156. Present 2.

WILL CONFER.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, APRIL 18.—THE CUBAN RESOLUTION WAS RETURNED TO THE SENATE, AND ON MOTION OF MR. DAVIS THE HOUSE REQUEST FOR A CONFERENCE WAS AGREED TO IMMEDIATELY. MR. DAVIS MOVED THAT THE CONFEREES BE APPOINTED BY THE CHAIR, BUT MR. ALLEN OF NEBRASKA OBJECTED AND WANTED THE CONFEREES NAMED BY THE SENATE.

AID OFFERED TO SPAIN.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, April 18.—A dispatch from Madrid says that General Marcello De Ascarraga, the former Minister of War and Prime Minister has arrived at the Spanish Capitol to attend the meeting of the Cortes. He is quoted as declaring that war is inevitable.

The dispatch adds that many Swedish, Brazilian, and other foreign officers are offering their services to Spain. The next meeting of the Spanish Cabinet will discuss the question of privateering. The leaflets, inciting a popular demonstration, have been seized at Madrid.

SENOR BERNABE LOOKS FOR PEACE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BERLIN, April 18.—The Washington correspondent of the Lokal Anzeiger reports an interview with Senor Polo y Bernabe, described as "the first the Spanish Minister to the United States has given since his arrival in Washington," in which he is represented as saying:

"The original idea of the Monroe doctrine was that it should be applied for defensive purposes and not offensive, as is now the case. In my opinion, the newest application of the Monroe doctrine creates a serious precedent and threatens the raising of similar cases in the future.

"Spain has made extraordinary concessions, ignored insult, permitted the carrying of provisions to Cuba and ceased hostilities. Neither the insurgents nor the United States have given sufficient recognition to this. Spain expects for certain that the United States will within a reasonable time be satisfied of the success of the Spanish concessions. She repudiates all responsibility for the Maine catastrophe, but is prepared to submit the matter to an international court of arbitration to whose judment she will bow."

According to the correspondent, Senor Polo, notwithstanding the existing circumstances, hopes that a more quiet consideration of the questions at issue will enable the United States to carry on diplomatic negotiations which will render his departure from Washington unnecessary. Senor Polo y Bernabe assured the correspondent that up to the time of granting the interview he had not received any instructions relative to his departure.

NEWS ITEMS FROM HAVANA.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, April 18.—All is quiet here. The park last night was crowded with pedestrians who enjoyed the music of the military band.

An important work was successfully completed to-day, that of carrying the vento water to Casa Blanco, opposite Havana Bay, and to the Cabana fortress. There was some delay in getting the water through, and as no explanation of the fact was forthcoming, it was believed something serious had happened. Captain Maldonado, who has constructed the works, accomplished his task in twelve days.

The steamer City of Washington arrived here yesterday; the steamer Santo Domingo reached this port to-day from Vera Cruz, and the steamer Mortora has arrived here from Santiago de Cuba.

News has been received here from the town of Alphonso XIII, province of Havana, that a dynamite bomb was exploded near the church there at 8 o'clock Saturday night, killing two people and wounding one man.

Senor Stegers has distributed 300 dresses from his residence at Guanabacoa among the children of the reconcentrados of that vicinity.

It is alleged that the Spanish and foreign merchants here are claiming that the Plant steamship line should be fined "for not complying with the postal treaty."

VESSELS GETTING READY FOR ACTION.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 18.—A special to the Herald from Newport News says: "No armor will be placed on the auxiliary cruisers Yosemite, Dixie and Yankee, formerly the steamers El Sud, El Rio and El Norte, of the Morgan line. This decision was caused by the fact that the vessels may be needed before they can receive the armor. Their main battery will consist of ten six-inch guns, five to a broadside, and they will also be equipped with a secondary battery of breech-loading rifles. These ships will be ready to leave here in a few days.

In order to prepare for action as soon as possible, work on the Kearsarge and Kentucky has been suspended for the time being. If rush orders should be received, however, the big ships could be completed in three or four months. The hospital ship Solace will be ready for service Wednesday.

GEN. WALLACE VOLUNTEERS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 18.—General Lew Wallace, the famous soldier, diplomat and novelist, who was 71 years old April 10th, has formally withdrawn from the race for the United States Senate, and announces that he will enter the army and fight for Cuban independence.

In a statement given out to-day over his signature, General Wallace says:

"In view of the certainty of war with Spain, I have tendered the National Government my services in the field. That I have been a candidate for United States Senator may subject this action on my part to misconstruction, so I beg to announce my withdrawal from the Senatorial race. To the many Republicans who have given me their support, I offer my hearty thanks and most grateful acknowledgments."

General Wallace does not seem to be speaking unadvisedly. It is known that he recently addressed a letter to the President making a tender of his services, and it is believed that he received a favorable answer and assurance that he would be appointed to a position commensurate with his talents and with his distinguished services in the war of the rebellion. As the regular army and the national guard are already officered, it is assumed that he will be a general of volunteers.

MARCHES ON WEDNESDAY NEXT.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HELENA, Mont., April 18.—Companies B and C, Second Infantry, have received orders from the department headquarters to be prepared to start for the regiment's new station at Mobile, Ala., Wednesday. The regiment is stationed at Fort Keough, where Colonel Bates has his headquarters. The troops will arrive at St. Paul Wednesday about noon and will proceed south without delay.

SPAIN IS AFTER TWENTY MILLIONS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, April 18.—It is reported that Spain is attempting to raise a $20,000,000 loan in London.

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SENATE STILL STANDS FIRM.

Davis' Motion to Concur in the House Resolution Is Defeated.

He Moves the Appointment of a Conference Committee and the Motion Is Carried.

Senators Declare They Can Better Afford to Lock Horns With the House Than Place This Country in a False Light.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Before the Senate convened this morning, groups of Senators gathered about the chamber, discussing the probable action of the House upon the Cuban resolutions, and preparing for such action as might be deemed necessary by the Senate when the resolutions came back.

Comparatively few people were in the galleries. The amendments made by the House to the Senate bill approving a compromise and settlement between the United States and the State of Arkansas were concurred in by the Senate.

Mr. Rawlins (Utah) made a legal argument upon the question whether the authority to recognize a foreign nation rested exclusively with the President. Mr. Rawlins was given only slight attention, as within a minute after he began to speak, the action of the House on the Senate Cuban resolutions was whispered about the chamber and that immediately became the sole topic of interest.

As soon as the decision of the House became known in the Senate, the Senate chamber became the scene of many animated conferences.

The leaders of the Democrats, Populists and Silver Republicans got together and immediately the word was passed around to non-concur in the House amendment and not to agree to a conference, thus throwing the responsibility for delay on the House.

It was whispered that some of the Republican Senators who had originally voted to insert the Turpie amendment would no longer stand by it. Ten Republican Senators will oppose concurrence in the House amendment and vote against a conference.

At 10:30 A. M. the Republican Senators with the exception of Wilson, who voted originally to insert the Turpie resolution, went into conference to decide upon a line of action, in Senator Quay's room. Ten were present as follows:

Baker, Chandler, Foraker, Gallinger, Mason, Nelson, Penrose, Perkins, Quay and Thurston. All decided to toll against concurrence. Aldich says the Senate will be compelled to grant a conference if the House amendment is not concurred in. Senator Davis will move to concur. The ten Senators will also vote against asking a conference, which throws that duty on the House.

Senator Davis of Minnesota, chairman of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, said today that he would ask the Senate to sit tonight until the Cuban resolutions should be disposed of, whatever the action of the House.

There is some doubt as to who will be the conferees on the part of the Senate. Ordinarily Senators Davis and Frye, Republicans, and Morgan, Democrat, being the first members on the two political sides of the committee, would be assigned to this duty, but as they were not original supporters of the Turpie amendment, there is some pressure to have Senators Foraker and Turpie added or substituted for Messrs. Frye and Morgan.

SENATE WILL STAND FIRM.

The Senate is quite determined to stand by its amendments, and it is stated that a sufficient number of Republicans have said they would stand with the other parties to hold the matter up indefinitely. At least eight Republicans are pledged to this course.

There is an effort to secure a compromise by accepting the Senate resolutions, minus the recognition of the insurgent government, but so far there is no indication of yielding to even this extent.

The Senators expect the House to yield after a second conference, and say they can better afford to wait for that than to give grounds for the belief that we are entering upon a war of conquest.

The Cuban resolution as amended by the House was received in the Senate at 2:53 P. M.

Mr. Chandler suggested the absence of a quorum. Seventy-five Senators answered to their names on the roll call.

On motion of Mr. Davis, the Cuban resolution was laid before the Senate. Mr. Davis addressed the Senate, detailing the effect of the action of the House. He said many lives had passed away while Congress was debating the question and that the Maine disaster still remained unavenged. He thought there should be no further delay. Mr. Davis thought the independence of Cuba would quickly follow intervention. In order to secure hasty action, Mr. Davis moved concurrence in the House resolution.

Mr. Stewart (Nevada) opposed concurrence. Stewart yielded the floor for the vote on the suggestion of Mr. Teller. Yeas and nays ordered.

AMENDMENT BEATEN.

At 3:10 a vote was taken on the Davis motion to concur in the House amendment. The motion was defeated and the Senate refused to concur, yeas 32, nays 46. Ten Republicans voted no. The Senate voted without division to insist on its amendments.

The detailed vote on the Davis motion to concur was as follows:

Yeas—ALDRICH, ALLISON, BURROWS, CARTER, CLARKE, CULLOM, DEBOE, ELKINS, FAIRBANKS, FAULKNER, FRYE, GEAR, GORMAN, GRAY, HALE, HANNA, HANSBROUGH, HAWLEY, HOAR, LODGE, M'MILLAN, MORGAN, MORRILL, PLATT, (Conn.), PRITCHARD, PROCTOR, SHOUP, SPOONER, WARREN, WETMORE, WILSON, WOLCOTT—32.

NAYS.—ALLEN, BACON, BAKER, BATE, BERRY, BUTLER, CAFFERY, CANNON, CHANDLER, CLAY, COCKRELL, DANIEL, FORAKER, GALLINGER, HARRIS, HEITFELD, JONES, (Ak.); JONES, (Nev.); KENNY, KYLE, LINDSAY, McLAURIN, MALLORY, MANTLE, MARTIN, MASON, MILLS, MONEY, NELSON, PASCO, PENROSE, PERKINS, PETTIGREW, PETTUS, QUAY, RAWLINS, ROACH, STEWART, TELLER, THURSTON, TILLMAN, TURLEY, TURNER, TURPIE, VEST, WHITE.—46.

NO CONFERENCE.

Mr. Hale urged the importance of having a conference committee. He said there could be but one aim in the proceedings against conference, and

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Oral and Written Arguments With Others to Be Presented Before Next Thursday.

When the Last Word Shall Have Been Said, the Facts of the Case Will Be Forwarded to the Secretary of War.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—The question of changing the pierhead lines of the Oakland harbor at the request of the C. C. Brock company came up this morning at the United States Engineer's office, Flood building, Col. Suter presiding.

There were also present of the Engineer Board on Harbors Major W. H. Heuer, Major Charles E. L. B. Davis.

Among the people present from this city were W. R. Davis, H. A. Powell, Wm. Lair Hill, President J. P. Taylor and Secretary Sharp of the Board of Trade, President Heitmann of the City Council, Councilmen Pringle, Cuvellier, Rowe, Girard, Watkinson, Mayor W. R. Thomas, City Engineer Clement, President Arper of the Merchants' Exchange, Jerry Tyrrel, Col. Bridges, ex-Councilman J. M. Bassett, A. D. Pryal, County Assessor Dalton, Geo. C. Pardee, E. C. Sessions and others.

The petition for the change of the line was then read, the substance of which has already been given in these columns.

The protests of the Merchants' Exchange and the Board of Trade against the change were then read.

Colonel Suter then stated that the Board of Engineers had no executive authority in the matter and that the dispute would have to be decided by the Secretary of War, and that consequently any arguments that might be advanced on the subject the Board would prefer to have submitted in writing. If such arguments were not ready now the Board could wait a few days before sending the report to Washington. If it was not desired to submit the matter in writing the Board would have to content itself with whatever oral arguments would be made, which would be taken down by the stenographer.

If any remarks were to be made the Board would prefer to hear first from any person who might desire to speak in favor of the petition.

No person responded to this invitation, whereupon Colonel Suter said he would be pleased to hear from any person opposed to the granting of the petition

Attorney-General Fitzgerald then came forward and read a protest, in the main as follows:

FITZGERALD'S PROTEST.

"First—That the granting of it would tend to foster and encourage a monopoly, which is contrary to the spirit of our institutions and against public policy.

"Second—The Secretary of War can act only 'when it is made manifest' to him that the establishment of harbor lines is a determination by the Secretary of War that they were essential to and sufficient for the preservation and protection of this harbor. Under his decision valuable rights and privileges have accrued to and become vested in the State of California, of which that State cannot be summarily deprived.

"Third—In establishing the present harbor lines, the Secretary of War exercised the authority vested in him by Congress and has exhausted his power to act in the premises.

"Fourth—That the petition is obviously not made in good faith but solely for the purpose of vesting in the Oakland Water Front Company a monopoly of the entire water front under consideration.

"Fifth—The re-establishment of the pierhead lines in accordance with the prayer of the petition so as to make them practically identical with the low-water mark lines would manifestly be a present detriment to commerce and would necessarily require an immense future expenditure of government money to so deepen the ship channel at the point beyond which wharves could not be extended as to render such wharves approachable. At low tide there would be no water at all at this point, at high tide from four to six feet only. Therefore the granting of this petition would be merely to benefit the Oakland Water Front Company at the expense of the government and of the people of this State.

"Sixth—To destroy the State's vested right to construct wharves, piers, etc., for the benefit of its citizens by a summary proceeding of this character—to thus take from the State a right of property which is of incalculable value for wharfage purposes and which is the only bulwark between the people and wharfage monopoly—would be to deprive the State of the use of its property without due process of law and in violation of the fifth amendment to the Federal Constitution.

"Seventh—A compliance with the prayer of this petition would tend indirectly to deprive the people of this State and the citizens of the United States of a right and privilege reserved to them by the act of Congress admitting California into the Union. To so fix the pierhead lines that the Oakland Water Front Company will have exclusive control of the wharfage facilities along this water front would place the inhabitants of this State and the citizens of the United States within the power of that corporation to impose upon them for the right of ingress and egress to and from these navigable waters—these common highways—such a 'tax impost or duty' as it should see fit."

OAKLAND'S PROTEST.

H. A. Powell then presented a protest from the city officials of Oakland. The protest was based on the following reasons:

"That the change will be greatly to the injury of the United States, of the State of California, of the city of Oakland, and of the harbor itself; the injury to the United States, in that if the pier-head line, at which ships may now lie in twenty feet of water, is receded to the shore line, which is bare of water at low tide. Deep water for ships must be made at the new line, necessarily at an enormous expense to the Government. To retire the present harbor which must be restored by dredging to a depth of twenty feet, the effect of the change would be not only to give a water frontage to the owners of the shore line, but to force the Government to make a harbor for their accommodation.

"To the injury of the State of California in this, that the change would take from the State a large area now devoted to the erection of wharves and other aids to commerce under the dominion and control of the State.

"To the injury of the city of Oakland in this, that the change would, under the present holdings of the court, shut up all the avenues of commerce of that city by giving them into the hands of a private corporation at whose mercy absolutely would lie the whole trade of the city and all its approaches by water.

"To the injury of the harbor in this, that the water flow would be sluggish and not sufficient to scour this portion of the estuary if the width is increased between the points proposed, and the curvature of the line is made greater, within and at a distance from the mouth of the estuary, and the consequence will be a continuous filing in front of the city.

"It is five years since the Government engineers in careful exercise of the duty entrusted to them, fixed the present line. An official act so important is necessarily final. When a Board properly organized has deliberately passed upon a question involving large interests submitted to it, the question is settled forever. Any other rule would leave those interests subject to the mere whim or caprice of the Board. Property loses its value when it depends upon will without law.

"In this case, the magnitude of the interests at stake and the shifting of values would be a crime against vested rights of property.

"We believe indeed that the Department has no power to change the line which it has once established. The law conferring authority upon the Secretary of War to establish harbor lines, gives no power to change lines once established. Under this law, the Secretary of War is ordered to do two things:

"1. To establish harbor lines when it is manifest that the same is essential to the preservation and protection of harbor, and

"2. To allow piers, wharves, bulkheads or other works to be extended beyond such established lines under such regulations as may be prescribed from time to time. No power whatever is conferred to move such lines landward.

"Signed: W. R. Thomas, Mayor, W. A. Dow, B. C. Cuvellier, Wm. B. Pringle, W. D. Heitmann, R. M. Clement, F. R. Girard, Geo. W. Arper, James P. Taylor, Craigie Sharp, Edward J. Pringle, H. A. Powell, Wm. Watkinson, H. D. Rowe."

OTHER OBJECTIONS.

Colonel Suter asked if there were any more remarks to be made on the subject.

Mayor Thomas said that he could add nothing to the protest that had been read by Mr. Powell. The changes would be a detriment to the city of Oakland and he desired to protest against the change with all his might.

W. Lair Hill then read a protest in behalf of himself and others.

"We believe," the instrument read, "that the proposed change would be very injurious to the interests of the city of Oakland. By a recent decision of the Supreme Court of the State, the area lying between the line of a mean low tide and the present pier-head line is declared to belong to the State. The area is the wharfage ground along the entire water front of the city, as the harbor lines now exist. The proposed change would move the pier-head line to and upon land claimed as private property, thus taking away the right of the State to construct, own and control the wharves and other shipping facilities along the south front of the city and leaving the city and the whole public to depend upon the views and interests of private persons and corporations for all aids and conveniences of commerce, which may be hereafter required.

"We beg the Board to consider furthermore that the proposed change would place the pier-head line where there is practically no depth of water, where vessels could not land or wharves be approached until the shallow shelving shores were dredged away to extend the area of practically navigable water up to the proposed new pierhead line. It is manifest that the great expense necessary to do this dredging would postpone for many years the construction of the shipping facilities which the growing commerce of the city requires."

ORAL ARGUMENTS.

George W. Arper said the citizens of Oakland were practically unanimous in opposition to the proposed change. The signers to the protest were only those of people who could easily be reached. The change again of the pier-head line would place the water front in the hands of a private corporation, which would be a calamity, especially after the decision of the Supreme Court had given the property in question to the State. He hoped that no change would be made.

J. P. Taylor said that the protests filed were the expression of the views of the commercial bodies of Oakland. The line now established was the one which would do the most good to the people of Oakland.

W. R. DAVIS TALKS.

W. R. Davis said there was a physical, a legal, and a future aspect in the case. It was obvious that if the pierhead line should be changed it would require hundreds of thousands of dollars to remove the earth necessary to enable the city to make use of the estuary under changed conditions. He saw nothing in the petition that had any weight save that a request for more room was made.

As to the legal aspect, the Supreme Court, he said, after a legal contest of forty-six years had decided in favor of the channel as it is now. The Court decided that there was nothing belonging to Oakland, but a ribbon of land running along the south side of the city. The pier-head lines were finally completed before the suits were begun in 1893. If the pier-head line should be moved landward, the effect would be to substitute the opinion of the Secretary of War, for the decision of the Supreme Court of the State and of the Supreme Court of the United States.

Mr. Davis then gave a short resume of the history of the water front litigation, concluding with the statement that the decision of the Supreme Court gave the State a strip of land south of the city varying in width from 80 to 300 feet. Speaking as a citizen, he protested against the change, which would effect the decision of the highest tribunal of the Government of which the Board was representative.

A. A. Kendall said that he had measured the distance at Grove street from the pierhead line to deep water and found there was a difference of 300 feet, which would have to be dredged out if the pierhead line was changed.

E. C. Sessions said he did not know the policy of the Water Front Company and what he had to say would be said in the interests of Oakland. He had ceded to the Government of the United States seven acres of land which was necessary for the widening of the harbor. He could not see any advantage in the setting back of the pierhead line. The United States Government was doing the work under the charge of the Secretary of War, with the aid of a competent Board of Engineers. The place was called Oakland harbor, and not Oakland's harbor. It was a harbor for the nation, in which the warships of the nation might anchor. The decision of the matter should be upon its merits. He had understood Colonel Mendel to say that the Government would allow no person to intervene in the matter of establishing pierhead lines. He could see no reason for making the change but the matter should be left to the decision of the engineers. The citizens present were influenced in their opposition to the change by the statements of the city's attorneys. He could not see why the decisions of the courts should be brought into the matter. The Government had taken no interest in the fight in the courts by Oakland, when it was establishing the lines. Under the decision the United States Supreme Court said that the ship channel was high tide. Now could the State control that channel and build piers? Was not that channel line to be determined by the engineers? He had told an applicant who wanted to purchase some of the water front property that he would be given title to the pierhead line. It could not be stated that title did not pass to ship channel. He could see how the State could intervene between the pierhead line and the bulkhead line. The matter should be determined on the question of benefiting the harbor of Oakland and not with respect to the ownership of the land.

Lyman Bridges said that until Oakland and Alameda built slips they would always be in a fuss as to how wide they should make the draw bridges.

Colonel Suter wanted to know how much time would be required.

Mayor Thomas said he would like to have the time extended to Thursday.

Col. Suter said the Board would receive written arguments until next next Thursday morning, but that it could not wait longer than that day.

Mayor Thomas said that that would be entirely satisfactory.

Col. Suter then declared the conference closed.

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BAY PIRATES ARE CAPTURED.

Important Arrests Are Made by Detectives Quigley and Shorey.

Detectives Quigley and Shorey made an important capture of two estuary pirates this morning. The men were found on a schooner in the estuary, and a large amount of stolen property was found in their possession.

The arrested men are Bert Green and Robert Melville. The latter is the man who stole a chain two years ago and went to Portland to escape arrest. He subsequently returned to Oakland and gave himself up, saying that he would rather serve a term here than to be free in Oregon.

The particular crime with which the men are charged is burglary. A month ago they broke into the sloop "Go Ask Her" in the estuary and stole a stove and a watch belonging to Victor Wells.

The arrest this morning is looked upon as a most important one by the police.

MRS. JOHN MARTIN WINS HER SUIT.

Declares She Will Reopen the Litigation Over the Will.

Mrs. Isabella J. Martin won a final victory in Judge Greene's court this morning in the suit brought by her ex-carpenter, August Larsen to recover payment for services. Mrs. Martin claimed that Larsen had paid himself for his services by taking enough of her lumber to build his own house. A legal technicality was also brought in. Mrs. Martin had not been served with a summons for three years after the alleged services, and the judge held that on that account the proceedings were disqualified.

Mrs. Martin, who defended herself in the previous hearing, was represented by Attorney De Soto this morning, although she attended the proceedings in person.

Larson made a motion to re-hear the motion to dismiss, but Judge Greene denied the motion, and Mrs. Martin was left the winner.

Mrs. Martin was very much pleased over the verdict and announced later that she intended to reopen the famous litigation over the will of the late Henry Martin, which she so obstinately combatted three years ago. She says that she has engaged new attorneys and will start the legal ball rolling again. Mrs. Martin lost her suit previously and Mrs. Henry Martin, now Mrs. John Phillips, was successful.

BURCKHALTER RETURNS.

The Eminent Astronomer Back From His Trip to India.

Professor Charles Burckhalter, the astronomer, who went to India with the Chabot expedition to view the eclipse of the sun, has returned to his home in this city.

Professor Burckhalter reports the expedition entirely satisfactory and successful. Since his departure he has been around the world, having passed through London. The professor says the majority of the English whom he met sympathized with the United States in the trouble with Spain.

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SUPERINTENDENT STONE ARRESTED

Failed to Repair the Street Between the Car Tracks.

A. L. Stone, manager of the Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards electric line, was arrested this morning for failing to keep the street between the car tracks at Thirteenth street and Broadway in repair. The warrant was sworn to Saturday by Street Superintendent Miller, but the arrest was not made till this morning.

School Statistics.

Webb N. Pearce, school census marshal, has compiled the following partial report of shortages in the number of pupils in the various wards: First Ward, 42; Second Ward, 23; Third Ward, 34; Fourth Ward, 20; Fifth Ward, 53; Sixth Ward, 55; Seventh ward, 53.

HOUSE AND SENATE ARE NOW READY FOR ACTION.

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that was to draw everybody into supporting the recognition of Cuban independence.

The motion for a conference committee was defeated, 34 to 43. The resolution now goes back to the House, and another vote on Cuban recognition in the House is probable. The radicals are opposed to conference.

The motion for conferees was defeated, 34 to 43, as follows:

Yeas—ALDRICH, ALLISON, BURROWS, CAFFERY, CARTER, CLARK, CULLOM, DEBOE, ELKINS, FAIRBANKS, FRYE, GEAR, GORMAN, GRAY, HALE, HANNA, HANSBROUGH, HAWLEY, HOAR, LODGE, M'MILLAN, MORGAN, MORRILL, PERKINS, PLATT (Conn.), PRITCHARD, PROCTOR, SHOUP, SPOONER, WARREN, WETMORE, WHITE, WILSON, WOLCOTT—34.

Nays—ALLEN, BATE, BERRY, BUTLER, CANNON, CHANDLER, CLAY, COCKRELL, DANIEL, FAULKNER, FORAKER, GALLINGER, HARRIS, HEITFELD, JONES (Ark.), JONES (Nev.), KENNY, KYLE, LINDSAY, M'ENERY, M'LAURIN, MALLORY, MANTLE, MARTIN, NELSON, PASCO, PENROSE, PETTIGREW, PETTUS, QUAY, RAWLINS, ROACH, STEWART, TELLER, THURSTON, TILLMAN, TURLEY, TURNER, TURPIE, VEST—43.

The ten Republican Senators who have stood for the Turpie amendment have practically agreed to surrender that amendment, providing that the language of the first proposition, declaring that the people of Cuba "are free and independent," is restored.

SPAIN IS PREPARING

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

TENERIFFE, Canary Islands, April 18.—The Spanish authorities here have acquired all the principal warehouses at this place and at the Grand Canary for the accommodation of the large reinforcement of troops expected here and to hold the stores which are about due to arrive here. Even the churches are to be used for military purposes, and the strength of the fortifications is being increased. Work on the latter has been in progress for some time past, and heavy guns have just been mounted at the island battery, which is situated on a promontory commanding the town and harbor.

At Las Palmas large quantities of grain have been amassed.

About 6,000 additional troops are expected here, and it is expected that a similar number of men will in all probability be sent to the Grand Canary.

THE SOMERS IS AGAIN DAMAGED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FALMOUTH, Eng., April 18.—The United States torpedo boat Somers, purchased for the United States Government in Germany, which has twice had to make port while on her voyage to the United States, collided this afternoon with the masonry at the entrance of the dock in which she was being placed for repairs, defects in her machinery having made her leak in several places.

As a result of today's accident, the stem of the Somers was smashed, which means that there will be further delay in

MASSING TROOPS AT TENERIFFE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

TENERIFFE, Canary Islands, April 18.—The Spanish authorities are actively engaged preparing for 6,000 reinforcements.

COAL FOR SPAIN'S SHIPS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. VINCENT, Cape Verde Islands, April 18.—The Spanish transport San Francisco arrived this afternoon, having on board a cargo of coal intended for the Spanish squadron.

CONTRACTS FOR GUN STOCKS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEOSHO, Mo., April 18.—McLeod & Co., timber contractors of Neosho, have received a contract for 50,000 black walnut gun stocks to be furnished the Government armory at Springfield, Mass., by December 1st.

BOYS IN BLUE WILL LIVE WELL.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, April 18.—A special to the Chronicle from Washington says:

"The American soldiers in the field live in fine style, and the experts declare that an army of 200,000 men can be supplied from domestic sources without inconveniencing anybody or causing the price of food products to rise.

"Orders have been sent out by Commissary-General Cushing for the purchase of supplies and the shipment of the material to Chickamauga, Mobile, Tampa, and New Orleans. These purchases will be made at St. Louis, New York City, Omaha, Chicago, Kansas City, and New Orleans. General Cushing says the domestic sources of supply are so abundant and reliable that unless there should be occasion to put something like one million men in the field, there need be no occasion for an increase in cost of subsistence or any like effect upon the food supplies of the country.

"The cost of transportation will be less where the army is concentrated than where it is distributed all over the country.

"The field rations which will be made up and shipped to the mobilized troops in the South consist of these articles, the net weight of each 1,000 rations being as follows: Bacon, 750 pounds; hard bread, 1,000 pounds; baked beans, 150 pounds; potatoes, 1,000 pounds; coffee, roasted, 80 pounds; sugar, 150 pounds; vinegar, 80 pounds; candles, 15 pounds; soap, 40 pounds; salt, 40 pounds; black pepper, 2½ pounds—a total of 3,307.5 pounds net, or 3,638 pounds gross.

"It is estimated it will take 50,000 pounds of the field rations for each regiment. These rations will be augmented later on by purchase in the various local cities by officers who are authorized to buy delicacies of the season.

"The emergency ration will not be furnished to the soldiers, even while in Cuba, except on occasions arising in active operations, when the use of the regularly-established ration is impracticable."

SPANISH FLEET AT PORTO RICO.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., April 18.—Captain Kebb of the barkentine Morales, who reached this port from Ponce, Porto Rico, to-day, reports that on April 6th, the day before he sailed from Ponce, eight Spanish torpedo boats arrived at that port from the Canaries. Two Spanish men-of-war were there already. A Spanish cruiser also was sighted in Mona passage as the vessel sailed.

CARLISTS ARE NOW CONVINCED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, April 18.—The Carlists in England are prepared for action, convinced that the present dynasty is doomed.

COAL IS AT A PREMIUM.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 18.—A dispatch to the Herald from St. Vincent, Cape Verde Island, says:

"The Spanish cruisers Infanta Maria Teresa and Cristobal Colon are filling their coal bunkers here. The supply is running short.

"It is understood that 20,000 tons of coal will be brought here in a few days, probably from the United States, where it is known orders have been placed.

"Spanish officers brought 610 tons from a local dealer on April 7th and immediately made a contract for 1,000 tons additional, which has not arrived."

COMMANDERS ASSIGNED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Commander G. C. Reiter, now at the Norfolk Navy Yard, will command the Venezuela and Commander W. S. Snow, now at Portsmouth, New Hampshire, Navy Yard, will command the Yumari.

RIOTS STILL CONTINUE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

VALENCIA, April 18.—There were renewed disturbances here yesterday, in which the women participated. Before order was restored the gendarmes were compelled to make two charges upon the mob.

UNRULY IN BARCELONA.

BARCELONA, April 18.—There was an unsuccessful attempt to demonstrate before the American Consulate last night.

DID THE JUNTA ATTEMPT BRIBERY?

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—The personal statement of a prominent newspaper publisher who owns two papers that he had been offered $2,000,000 worth of Cuban bonds if he would support the recognition of Cuban independence is having a great effect among the members, as it is coupled with the statement that the offer was made by a man showing the authority of the Cuban Junta.

He told the members that the offer was accompanied with a guarantee that a bank would pay 40 cents on the dollar when independence was recognized. This statement was made on the floor of the House, and made to defeat the independence resolution.

M'KINLEY TO VETO INDEPENDENCE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Attorney General Griggs, Secretary Long, Secretary Sherman and Assistant Secretary Day had an hour's conference with the President today. The purpose of the meeting was not disclosed, but it is believed that it had special reference to the Cuban resolution now pending before Congress.

Members of the Cabinet decline to discuss what course the President will pursue in the event that the clause recognizing the independence of the Cuban Republic is retained. From other reliable sources, however, it is learned that probably the President will return the resolution without his approval. This, it is said, he will be compelled to do in order to maintain the prerogative which he holds.

Up to this time nothing has been done in the way of formulating an ultimatum to Spain, nor has anything been received from Minister Woodford or other sources which may in any way change the situation. No one in official circles doubts that a hostile resolution will be passed by Congress within the next day or two, and war almost certainly will follow.

TURBULENT SCENES IN BARCELONA.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BARCELONA, April 18.—Although Sunday morning passed quietly here, there was a demonstration last evening when the crowds which gathered in front of the newspaper offices read the latest announcements of the action taken by the United States Senate in regard to Cuba.

After it became known that the Senate had adopted a resolution favoring recognition of the present Cuban insurgent government, there was a scene of greatest excitement, and patriotic shouts were raised on all sides.

When the students heard the news on leaving the theaters, they paraded the streets, cheering for Spain, and made an attempt to reach the United States Consulate. The authorities, however, had taken precautions, and the students and others who took part in the disturbance were dispersed.

THE O'HIGGINS NOT FOR SALE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—It was stated at the Navy Department this afternoon that the efforts to secure the Chilean battleship O'Higgins have been practically abandoned and that there is no longer any prospect that the United States desires or will be able to secure any more warships, either belonging to foreign nations, or being built in foreign ship yards.

Assistant Secretary Roosevelt said this afternoon that it was more than probable that the Department hereafter would confine its efforts in this direction to the acquirement of yachts, tugs and small craft generally for the auxiliary navy.

SPAIN TRIES TO RAISE A WAR FUND.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, April 18.—It is reported in the city that the Government of Spain has been in communication with leading financial houses here, including the Rothschilds, in an effort to raise a loan of $20,000,000 on the security of the Almaden mines. The Rotschilds decline to confirm or deny the rumor.

MAY HAVE WORKED IN THIS CITY.

Belief That Grant Is the Man Who Operated in Oakland.

Detective Denny Holland went to San Francisco to-day to identify some articles found on Charles Grant, who is in jail in San Francisco. Grant was captured by Miss Helena Duane, a domestic employed by E. A. Rothchild at 2108 Jackson street, San Francisco, as he was attempting to secure a lot of valuables at that place. The young fellow, who professes to be but sixteen years of age, has been operating in the western addition of San Francisco. He gained an entrance to the houses of his victims by representing himself to be a gas meter inspector.

Detective Holland thinks that Grant is the same fellow who operated in Alameda and East Oakland several weeks ago. He went to the premises at 1220 Twelfth avenue and stated that he was a meter inspector, but the family refused to allow him to enter the house. About that time the home of Mrs. Dearborne at 608 East Fifteenth street was entered and a gold watch stolen, and Detective Holland thinks he may recover the watch among the articles found upon Grant.

ROSBOROUGH AND SMITH ARE SAFE.

They Saw the Great Engulfing Avalanche but Were Not in It.

Frank N. Smith, son of the superintendent of Mountain View Cemetery, and Alex Rosborough, the well known amateur comedian, have had an experience which they will doubtless never have repeated during their lives. It was that of witnessing the great avalanche at Sheep Camp in Alaska, which swept so many human beings into eternity. Both these young men left here about the time which, if they not been delayed, would have brought them to the pass when the avalanche swept all before it. As a consequence, friends here feared for their safety. To-day, however, a letter was received from Smith announcing that he and Rosborough were all right. It had been their intention to start to climb the pass that day, but they were delayed. That delay probably saved their lives. They did not go until the next day, and in the meantime they saw the slide which struck terror into their souls, bereaved many a home and dissipated the hopes of many a prospective millionaire.

Took His Cows Away.

Joe Montnero has filed a suit against Constable C. F. Weldon to recover $295 which he claims is due him. Weldon sold cows, horses and harness belonging to the plaintiff, under an order of execution and the plaintiff claims that this property was exempt. The case is filed in Judge Wood's court.

DIED.

WHEATON—In this city, April 18, 1898, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Kate A. Bulkley, No. 511 Albion street, Elizabeth Andrew, relict of the late William R. Wheaton, a native of New York city, aged 82 years, 6 months and 21 days. (New York city papers please copy.)

Funeral and interment private.

ADAMS—In San Francisco, at St. Joseph's Home, April 17, 1898, Mary Adams, a native of Elsas, Germany, aged 92 years.

The funeral will take place TUESDAY, April 19, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M., from her daughter's residence, Mrs. McGiveny, 843 Fallon street, Oakland. Interment, St. Mary's Cemetery, Oakland.

GALLOUP—In Lorin, April 17, 1898, Albert Galloup, infant son of Geo. W. and Jessie Galloup, aged 2 months and 11 days.

EBER—In this city, April 17, 1898, John, beloved husband of Margaret Eber and father of George and John W. Eber and Mrs. Alice Bowman, a native of Bavaria, Germany, aged 82 years, 9 months and 10 days.

SILVA—At the County Infirmary, April 18, 1898, Manuel Silva, age 73 years, a native of the Western Islands, a resident of Oakland.

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WANTED—Office rooms about 10x10, on first floor, for real estate and insurance business. Enquire 1018 Washington st., Clerks' Exchange.

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CLERKS' EXCHANGE—1018 Washington st., Oakland., managed exclusively by Oakland citizens, invites ladies and gentlemen to investigate its facilities to obtain lucrative commercial situations.

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HELP WANTED—Two cooks, restaurant, wages $20; two nurses, institution, $25; general housework, $25. Mrs. Cattell, 525 Eighth st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—Place for a coachman; Oakland references; you will get the best coachman, gardener, etc., at the Clerks' Exchange, 1018 Washington st.

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MONEY TO LOAN on pianos, furniture, merchandise, machinery, etc. King's, 457 Ninth st., near Broadway; telephone blue 842.

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TIMELY NOTE OF WARNING.

Dangers Threatening the American Republic.

BERKELEY, April 18.—Professor L. Dupont Syle of the University of California lectured last night at Stiles' Hall on "The Lesson of the Roman Republic for the American." He showed how appallingly similar are some of the worst conditions of Rome to those existing in America now.

"The sudden inroad of wealth into the Roman Republic," said Prof. Syle, "is similar to the great material growth of this country during the last fifty years. By the conquest of the Mexican war this country came into possession of a country of untold resources.

"The tragedies of early San Francisco made thoughtful men wonder if any greater moral curse ever fell on a land than the discovery of gold on the Pacific Coast.

"Now," continued the speaker, "the anarchical state of society produced by the gold discoveries was simply the most violent and open manifestation of the workings of that base and sordid spirit, incompatible with the existence of civic virtue and the healthy growth of free institutions which Napoleon scored in our English ancestors when he dubbed them 'a nation of shopkeepers.' In us the same spirit has been not unjustly called 'the workshop of the almighty dollar.'

"With shame and sorrow let us confess it, the almighty dollar is the god which too many in this nation worship with an intensity of fervor which makes us sigh when we think of what the American nation might become had it but a worthier god. Nor is it confined to any one rank or profession.

"If this spirit continues to grow at its present rapid rate, the fate of the American Republic is sealed. Save as a warning to future ages, the book of our history might as well be closed today as a hundred years hence. No civil institutions, however good, can long withstand the onslaught of this base and encroaching spirit.

"I doubt very much if Rome ever witnessed more open and wholesale bribery of voters than has this country during some of our Presidential elections. On both sides it has been practiced with a cynical defiance of public opinion that could mean only this—that public opinion was indifferent to it. Two or three generations of this sort of thing, and we shall find ourselves possessing all the forms of free institutions but none of the realities.

"The same causes which led to the fall of the Roman Republic are at work in ours. We have the same sudden increase of enervating wealth, the same influx of foreign born citizens, possessing neither the native feeling nor the native tradition; the same accumulation of unskilled laborers in our great cities—those huge pest houses where is bred the worst mental and physical diseases to which poor humanity is heir. If we look upon these things with the Roman's indifference we shall share the Roman's fate."

The Berkeley High school was closed today out of respect to the memory of Mrs. Elizabeth Waterman.

The Young People's Society of the Berkeley Baptist church gave a missionary concert yesterday.

PALOMA SCHRAMM WILL PLAY TOMORROW.

The Clever Child Pianist to Be Heard in the Unitarian Church.

The San Francisco weeklies and Sunday papers were full of the praises of the wonderful work that was done by little Paloma Schramm at her recitals in that city last week. There has been no exception to all the critics articles. This little tot, who is not quite 9 years old, is not only a finished pianiste but a composer of merit, many of her compositions having been published. At her recital to-morrow night she will play some of her own compositions and also improvise on any theme that may be handed to her. Florence Scarborough, the Los Angeles contralto, will assist her.

The following is her programme for to-morrow night's recital:

Fantasia, D Minor .....Mozart
"Le Coucou" (written in 1613)..Daquin
Romanze, op. 44.....Rubinstein
Gigue ..... Bach
"My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice" (from Samson and Delliah).... ..... Saint-Saens
Florence Scarborough.
"Serenade" ..... Schubert-Liszt
"Les Deux Alouettes" ....Leschetitzki
"Variationen, op. 12".....Paloma
"Mazurka, op. 15".....Paloma
"Fantasie, op. 14".....Paloma
"Valse Caprice, op. 18".....Paloma
"Ach Mein Sohn".....Meyerbeer
Florence Scarborough.
"Nocturne, op. 9, No. 2".....Chopin
"Valse, op. 70, No. 1".....Chopin
"Warum" ..... Schumann
"Schmetterling, op. 8".....Paloma
"Nocturne, op. 15".....Paloma
"Mazurka" ..... Godard

The audience is requested to have motifs ready, as at this time they will be collected. Paloma will then draw one and improvise upon it. Please write legibly and sign or number your paper.

There has been a big demand for seats to-day, which may be reserved without extra charge at Sherman, Clay & Co.'s, Thirteenth and Broadway.

METHODIST CHURCH IS ALLOWED TO BORROW.

Judge Ogden this morning granted the petition of the First Methodist Church asking for authority to contract a loan of $8,000 with which to repair, enlarge and beautify its edifice.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Harry E. Schwatka, Emeryville.....46
Kate Burnhauser, Oakland.....35
William Chris Sewell, Oakland.....27
May Alice Hanley, Oakland.....27
James Francis Brown, Oakland.....19
Mary J. Quigley, Oakland.....18
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OFFICIAL RECORDS.

SATURDAY, APRIL 16, 1898.

DEEDS.

March 25, 1898—H. C. and Mary E. Morris to Ervin S. Chapman, E Filbert st 185.17 S W-16th st S 50 x E 125 blk 591, Galindo tract, Okd; $10.

April 14, 1898—Grace E. Barnard to Willis E. Gibson, SE 26th and Myrtle sts E 55 x S 89 blk 537, sub to mtge for $400, Okd; $10.

April 12, 1898—Niels M. and Laura I. Martin to John Lutz, beg at a point in center line Walsworth av at intersection of a line parallel with NE bdry line Walsworth 100-acre tract and distant SW 37-6 from said NE bdry line, th 199 to a point 158 SE from intersection of said parallel line with SE line Fairmount av, th SW 33 SE 204 to center Walsworth av, th NE 32 to beg, Okd; $10.

March 24, 1898—Mary Lelah Yarde-Buller to E. H. Wakeman, trustee, und 1-3 of following: blk 135; blk 200; lot 201; beg at a point where the center line of 9th st dividing the marsh from the dry land and running S along the line dividing the marsh land from the dry land, th S to N 7th st E to patent line of Vicente Peralta or San Antonio Ro, th N to a point where the center line of 9th st, extended E, intersects the said patent line, th W to beg, contg .91 of an acre, and being contiguous to and E of blks 200 and 201, subj to certain conditions, Okd; $1.

April 18, 1898—J. D. and Rita E. Ferreira to Home Security B. & L. Assn, lots 6 and 7 blk E, Knowles and Potter sub Kennedy tract, E Okd; $100.

July 9, 1891—Elisha Lambert to Loretta W. Lambert, N W-6th av 100 NE E-18th st NE 100 x NW 150 blk 104, Clinton; N cor 5th av and E-9th st NE 70 NW 105 NE 35 NW 35 SW 105 SE 140 to beg blk 8, same, E Okd; gift.

April 5, 1898—A. J. and Anna E. Samuel to H. B. Griffith, S Channing way 250 W Fulton st W 50 x S 150 blk 3, ppty College Hd Assn, Bkly; $10.

April 8, 1898—E. B. Pond and H. C. Campbell, trus for Wm. and Lillias McCrindle, to S. F. Savings Union, 506 d 433, S Short st 105-7½ W Pine st W 25 x S 100-4½ blk 36, map of lands Okd Point Ferry Landing, trustees deed, Okd; $475.

April 11, 1898—Jas. A. Waymire, W. Rigby, Jr., Julia M. and J. J. Rauer and Jos. Mee, by comr, to Alameda Savings Bank, N Buena Vista av 325 W Walnut st W 195 x N 360, Ala; $6,214.

Jan. 29, 1898—A. A. and Annie J. Moore to B. H. Griffins, W San Pablo av 50 S Curve st S 50 x W 100 blk B, Grove tract; W San Pablo av 100 S Curve st W 100 S 37-6 E 24.84, th at right angles to San Pablo av 74 to San Pablo av N 50 to beg blk B, same, Okd; $10.

Jan. 29, 1898—B. H. Griffins to A. A. Moore, same (2 pieces) Okd; $10.

April 8, 1898—E. B. Pond and H. C. Campbell, trustees for Louis F. Dunand, to S. F. Savings Union, 608 d 69, SE 8th av 75 NE E-23d st NE 75 x SE 100 blk 144, Clinton, trustees deed, E Okd; $1,080.

MORTGAGES.

April 15, 98—Fredk A and August O M Ruther to Alameda B & L Assn, Ala, E Union st 96.8 S Encinal av S 48.4 x E 145 blk 5, Bartlett tract, 6 years, 7½ per cent, $3,500.

April 12, 98—Ervin S and Ada H Chapman to Cal Bldg Loan Assn, Okd, E Filbert st 185.17 S W-16th st S 50 x E 125 blk 591, Galindo tract, 8 per cent, $5,000.

April 15, 98—Wm and Lena Hasselbeck to Continental B & L Assn, E Okd, lot 1 blk 53, San Antonio, 7 years, 6 per cent, $200.

Feb 1, 98—Augustus H F and Veroncha Smith to Margaret W Hutton, Ala, E 5th st 447.9 S Santa Clara av N 46 E 135 S 46 W 135 to beg, being ptn Teutonia Park & Hd Assn, 3 years, 8 per cent, $1,500.

April 9, 98—John F and Minna Nordhausen to Edward Platz, Okd, SW 18th and Linden sts W 132 x S 136 blk 596, 1 day, 9 per cent, $700.

April 16, 98—Geo A. Bordwell to Alameda Savings Bank, Ala, NE Buena Vista av 141 NW Everett st NW 100 x NE 150 blk E, Alameda Station Hd tract, $1,500.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

April 11, 98—Henry Z and Sarah M Jones to R J McMullen and W D Moody, trs Okd Loan & Invest Co, Okd, N Mead av 246.16 E Market st E 125 being ptn Mead Park, $1,700.

April 15, 98—Paulina and Morris Krakauer to J West Martin and Wm G Henshaw, trs Union Svgs Bank, Okd, S Charter av 250 W Telegraph av as it existed in 1868 th W 50 x S 129.4½ being ptn Tuttle Hd tract, $1,300.

April 15, 98—Wm S and Helen M Merriam to Albert Brown and E A Herons trs Standard B & L Assn, Okd, lot 3 blk I, Linda Vista Terrace, $3,600.

March 22, 98—Harriet E and Frank M Butler to Isaac L Requa and W W Garthwaite trs Okd Bank of Svgs, Okd Anx, N El Dorado av 150 W Bayo Vista av W 75 N 116 E 75.06 S 119 to beg blk E, Linda Vista Terrace, $2,500.

April 13, 98—John M and Mary Robertson to H Sevening and J E Baker, trs Alameda Savings Bank, Ala, SW Encinal av and Lafayette st W 148 x S 48.4 blk 8, Bartlett tract, $600.

April 14, 98—Mary A Hawley to Same, Ala, NW Clinton av and Willow st W 50 x N 150 blk N, lds adjct to Encinal, $900.

RELEASES.

Marginal—Isabella Wright to Clarence & Lizzie R. Haven, E Okd, 518 m 175, Lot 12 blk H, Clinton Mound tct, $200.

Apr. 8, 1898—Farmers' Co-Operative Union of Sutter Co. to Mary S. & Fannie W. Smith, Okd, 470 m 310, W Chestnut st 136 S 18th st S 86 x W 118 blk 597,; Also ppty in Sutter Co., $21,016.

Apr. 14, 1898—Citizens B. & L. Assn, S. F., to Wm. & Barbara Zoller, Okd, — m —, should be 526 m 95, NW Bay and Chestnut sts W 90-3 N 100 W 24 N 35-6 E 114-3 S 135-6 to beg, being ptn Curtis tct, $900.

Apr. 15, 1898—H. E. Ey to Same, Okd, 534 m 10, Same, $300.

Mar. 15, 1898—Cosmopolitan M. B. & L. Assn to J. H. & Mary B. McCracken, E Okd, 397 m 137, $400; 389 m 363, $600, NE E-16th st 50 NW 20th av NW 25 x NE 140 blk 36, San Antonio, $1000.

Apr. 14, 1898—Mollie E. Smith to Frank Laidlaw, Okd, 494 m 253, E Ettie st 600 S 32d st E 116 S 112 W 142-4 N 38-2 to beg blk O, Lds Peralta Hd Assn, $200.

Apr. 16, 1898—Dwight Way Ln & Invest. Co. to Eva & Gottlieb Kruschwitz Bkly, 461 m 314, Lot 14 blk C, Leonard tct, $700.

Apr. 16, 1898—Oakland Loan & Invest. Co. to Same, Bkly, 435 m 285, $300, 496 m 354 $200, Same, $500.

Feb. 24, 1898—C. N. Felton to J. E. McElrath, Mur'y Tp, 562 m 113, 17.52 acres beg at a pt in center line county road Sunol to Pleasanton from which the NE cor lot X (10) of Sunol ptn Ro El Valle de San Jose bears SW 21.02 chs distant th NW 39 links NW 2.50 chs to pt in Arroyo de la Laguna th NE 8.71 chs SE 3.50 chs to center aforesaid county road th NE 1.49 chs NE 1.80 chs SE 9.87 chs SW 6.60 chs SW 4 chs NW 10.50 chs NW 6.58 chs to beg, being Sunol ptn Ro El Valle de San Jose, $3028.

Feb. 24, 1898—Same to Chas. Hadsell, Mur'y Tp, 422 m 29, 15.30 acres, being lot X (10) in Sunol ptn Same, $4500.

Apr. 12, 1898—Alameda Savings Bank to Felix Marcuse, Ala, 452 m 27, Lot 15 blk B, Sather and Robinson tct, $1200.

ATTACHMENTS.

63,349—Apr. 16, 1898—R. H. Van Sant vs. J. Edson Kelsey et al., property standing in name of Harriet C. Kelsey, the E. ½ lots 21 to 24 blk 6, resub ptn T. M. Antisell's map of Villa Lots, Bkly, $578. Writ issued from Superior Court, S. F.

TRANSCRIPT OF JUDGMENT.

62,970—Apr. 14, 1898—Isaac W. Snyder vs. Frank Harrold et al., for plff from Superior Court S. F., $16,890.

LIS PENDENS.

15,062—Apr. 16, 1898—Union Savings Bank vs. Adelia H. Jones et al., to foreclose 459 m 217, lot 4 blk J, Curtis & Williams tract, Okd, $1,500.

15,061—Apr. 16, 1898—Union Savings Bank vs. Ada Z. Ager et al., to foreclose 459 m 121, beg at a pt 525 N from center line main track C. P. R. R. at NW cor lands of Ager, th NE 369 NW 206-8 SW 327 SE 206 to beg, ptn SW ¼ Sec 8 Tp 4 S R 1 E, Murray Tp. W Bachelder av distant N 350 from center of track of S. P. R. R., th NW 164 SW 185 NW 200 SW 216 SE 375 th on a curve 444 to beg, ptn SE ¼ of SW ¼ Sec 8 Tp 4 S R 1 E, Murray Tp. Beg at a pt bearing NW 50 from Engineer's Station, 1201 plus 148 on line C. P. R. R., th NE on a curve with 1860 ft radius 475 ft, th NW on a radial line with said curve 100 ft, th SW on a curve with a 1760 ft radius parallel with said R. R. 150 ft distant from said center line 451.35 th SE 100.75 to beg, ptn SE ¼ of SW ¼ Sec 8 Tp 4 S R 1 E, Murray Tp. .554 of an acre beg at NW cor J. Bennett's lands on S line county road No. 1469 and from which station No. 11 of exterior boundary Ro El Valle de San Jose bears NE 511 distant, th SW 150 NW 120 NW 135 NE to S line county road No. 1469, th NE 69.8 SE 110.5 to beg, ptn SE ¼ of SW ¼ Sec 8 Tp 4 S R 1 E, Murray Tp, $4,800.

HOMESTEADS.

Apr. 15, 1898—Minnie Hoover wf John F., declaration, S Ward st 206.40 E Shattuck av E 40 x S 134-6 blk D, Blake tract, Bkly, $1,800.

Apr. 16, 1898—Annie M. Quinck, declaration, W Harrison 75 N 7th N 25 x W 100 blk 79, Okd, $4,000.

RESOLUTION.

Nov. 14, 1898—Farmers' Co-operative Union of Sutter Co., authorizing G. W. Carpenter president and C. R. Boyd cashier of said corpn to execute releases of mortgages.

SUPERIOR COURT ACTIONS.

15,061—Department 2—Union Svgs vs. Ada B. Ager et al., as in lis pendens, $4,800. P. C. Black.

15,062—Department 3—Same vs. Adelia H. Jones et al., same, $1,500. Reed & Nusbaumer.

INCORPORATION.

1,374—The Klondike Rocker Co. (place of business S. F.), capital stock $50,000, 10,000 shares at $1 per share, fully subscribed. Directors and shareholders: Gustav Zander and Felix Marcuse 2,375 shares each, Jacob Floersheim 6,250 shares, Lloyd W. Cluck 20,000 shares, H. C. L'hote 5,000. Signed Apr.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Oakland—Nilsson's Aerial Ballet.
Baldwin—"A Stranger in New York."
Columbia—"Delmonico's at 6."
California—Melba in Grand Opera tomorrow evening.
Alcazar—"The Strange Adventures of Miss Brown."
Morosco's—"The Diamond Breaker."
Tivoli—"Sinbad the Sailor."
Orpheum—Vaudeville.
Pacific Coast Jockey Club, Ingleside—Races.

PICNICS AT SHELL MOUND PARK.
April 24—Court Shell Mound, "A. O. F.," Golden Gate.

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Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Weather forecast: Fair tonight and Tuesday; fresh northerly winds.

MONDAY.....APRIL 18, 1898.

Christopher Columbus has much to answer for. He really is the cause of all the trouble his country is now having. If somebody else had discovered America, the whole course of history would have been changed.

One of the subjects to be lectured on at the approaching Woman's Congress in San Francisco is "The Effect of Woman's Clubs on Social Life." The man who has been interviewed with one when returning at 3 A. M. from a session with "the boys," ought to be allowed to relate his experiences.

An electrician called Rhynschowski claims to have discovered a new force of nature which he calls electrois. Although somewhat akin to electricity, it is said to be much more powerful and far-reaching, and its inventor says he will upset all customary calculations with it as soon as he gets it in thorough working order. He ought to get it to do something for that name of his right away, or else he will have a hard time going down to posterity. It's too complicated to remember.

How acceptable that bicycle path between Oakland and San Jose would be, now that the wheeling season has started up again in full blast. However, like the Pingree plan, the new City Hall, the park, city and county consolidation and the other public enterprises that have been urged in Oakland during the past few months, the plans for it progressed right up to the very point of action and then disappeared. We know what we want all the time, but we don't seem to know how to get it.

If it be true that there are only 6,000 insurgents under arms, the argument that it is not much use recognizing them as the founders of a Cuban republic carry a good deal of weight. There would not be much justice in deposing Spain in favor of an equally incompetent governing force. What the United States should do, if we act in the matter at all, is to see that the government installed there is the one wanted by the masses of the people and one that will ensure a solid and stable administration for the islands.

The attack made by the Voice of New York upon the University of California will do little, if any, harm. It is so palpably bigoted and illogical that it loses whatever effect a criticism might have had, if given fair-mindedly. For example, what shallow nonsense it is to assail the University because it has a department devoted to the viticultural interests. As winemaking is one of the leading industries of California, and as wine-drinking is an accepted condition the world over, there is no reason why those engaged in grape-growing here should not receive the benefits of research and experiment.

Let no one reproach timid woman in future about her habit of looking under the bed before retiring. To this cautious custom on the part of a San Francisco young woman is due the capture of the "gas meter inspector" who has been victimizing San Francisco, Oakland and Alameda during the past six weeks. It has long been a standing joke how, if a woman discovered one of the male gender in such a way she would seize him and hold on to him. That is exactly what happened in this particular instance, much to the disgust of the "inspector," for his captor succeeded in holding him until the police arrived.

Superintendent Garlick's idea to change the exercises at the County Teachers' Institute to be held in Oakland next September should be favorably received. The proposed series of lectures by Professor James of Harvard will open up a new field of thought for the instructors, for his dessection and treatment of the philosophy of education is said to be sound and thorough. The opportunities for general debate afterwards will preserve to the teachers the customary interchanging of ideas, and there is no question that the institute would be much more pleasant to them, for after all, it becomes rather tiresome to have the same old subjects threshed over in practically the same manner, year after year.

A HARD FIGHT ENDED.

The nomination by the President of Senator John Shine as marshal for the Northern District of California ends one of the hardest fights the California Congressional delegation has had to handle and incidentally confirms the announcement exclusively made in the Tribune some months ago to the effect that he was slated for the place. Shine's two most formidable competitors were Sheriff MacKenzie and Harry N. Morse of this city, though there were a number of others in the race, among them being the veteran Sheriff Cunningham of San Joaquin.

From the first MacKenzie's aspirations were handicapped by the fact that Frank Coombs, also a Napa man, was seeking Federal preferment and with the influence of Coombs possessed as speaker of the Legislature and a possibility for Congress, Governor, Foreign Minister and so forth, it was not surprising that he landed instead of MacKenzie, the place slated for him being that of United States District Attorney. This therefore narrowed down the contest to between Shine and Morse, and brought about a bitter and rather personal fight.

Morse is related to Congressman Loud by marriage and the representative from the Fifth District therefore had charge of his fight. Mr. Loud is unfortunate from a patronage standpoint in coming from San Francisco. It is generally a Congressman's province to handle all the patronage in his district, especially that of the post offices, but as in Loud's case this would mean some of the fattest Federal places in the State, he was denied that privilege. Nomination after nomination that he suggested failed to connect, and at last he is said to have gone directly to the President and complained that he was being treated cavalierly as regards the offices that ordinarily belonged to a district representative. The story of this particular incident further relates that Loud told the President that he would be willing, however, to withdraw all protests and appeals he had made and be thoroughly satisfied as regards everything else if he were given the appointment of Morse as marshal.

There was, however, a serious stumbling block in the way. Senator Perkins was against Morse and for Shine, so, as in addition to the superiority of the prestige of a member of the upper House, Morse was being opposed by the United States Senator from his own county, there could be but one outcome and that was the selection of Shine as heralded Saturday, while the many friends of Morse in this county will regret that he did not land the prize, there is at least the consolation that it has gone into worthy hands. Senator Shine is one of the solid, front-rank Republicans of the State, and in addition to his political and social traits, has the reputation of being a brave, fearless man. He will undoubtedly be a worthy successor to the many worthy men who have held the marshalship of this district.

The first open indication of the tug-of-war that is going on between the rival factions in the San Francisco Democracy were in evidence at the meeting of the State Central Committee Saturday. On one side is Rainey, the successor of Buckley, and on the other, Harbor Commissioner Harney, who is generally understood to represent Governor Budd's interests. On a sort of triangular proposition are to be found the Phelanjies, marshalled by Gavin McNab and inclined to act independently, though they will train with the Harneyites is necessary to overthrow Rainey. And in addition to all these warring houses, in the shadowy background stands Chris Buckley, hynotically waving his hands in a manner that many believe will result in his being in command again, or at least, the power behind the throne.

The primary law passed by the New York Legislature is being subjected to an experience similar to the one the California measure has had. The bosses have taken it into the courts, and as it is modelled almost exactly on the lines of the Stratton bill, its backers are going to use the defenses he made. Senator Stratton has therefore received a telegraphic request from the Empire State asking him to send on the briefs he used before our Supreme Court, so it looks as if the questions raised by opponents of the reform are to have the singular distinction of being passed on by two courts of last resort.

It seems as if Oakland is doomed to have this interminable water-front wrangling for ever, and it is a certainty that just as long as it continues, just so long will the progress of the city be retarded. The biggest advantage Oakland has over her rival Coast cities is unquestionably her peerless stretch of watery front, but capital is chary about investing on it until its entanglements as to title and ownership are cleared up once and for all. Just fancy what position Los Angeles would be occupying in the State if she had the water front facilities possessed by Oakland.

Those parts of the State that escaped from the severity of the drouth and frost are said to be unusually fruitful this year, nature having evidently endeavored to make some compensation for her ill-treatment of the rest of the land. Sonoma county is in exceptionally good fettle it is said and the Coast counties as a rule, owing to the more general precipitation in the form of dews and mists are reported to have a very encouraging crop outlook.

The Czar is said to have given the Prince of Montenegro an Easter gift of 30,000 repeating rifles and 25,000,000 cartridges. He is evidently trying to stir up a fight of some sort down that way with the idea, of course, of ultimate benefit to the Russian Bear. Turkey, anyhow, can't be any too happy over the present given her neighbor.

The crop of summer northers is, all right this year in California no matter what everything else may be. Two of them by the 16th of Apil is a record that the "oldest inhabitant" can't discount.

Even the most rabid Democrat cannot blame the President now for any "position" as regards Spain. He has given assurances that he will sign any resolution Congress may agree on, within an hour after it reaches the White House, so the issue is with the people themselves as represented by their Congressmen. The sooner therefore that the House and Senate agree as to what ought to be done, the earlier everything will be cleared up.

The victory of the Stanford baseball team over the Berkeley boys on Saturday last has awakened the U. C. athletes to the fact that they have not got such a walk-over in sporting matters as they thought they had. It is a good thing that they have had their eyes opened in this way, for it will make them pay a little stricter attention to their practice and training.

The victory obtained in the courts by the Oakland pool-room men comes a little too late to be of much benefit to them. The racing season will be over in four weeks and after that there is absolutely no business in sight for the betting public out this way doesn't take kindly to following the Eastern races on paper.

Weyler is declared by his admirers to be the "grand national character of Spain." If they are willing to hold him up to the world as a type of their ideas of excellence, they must not complain if they get but little sympathy during their present troubles.

PURE AIR THE SECRET OF HEALTH.

Breathe pure air always. In the lungs a most important physiological process occurs. It is from here that the blood laden with oxygen is sent to all parts of the body, giving off along its course its oxygen, and taking up carbonic acid gas, which it brings at last to the lungs, when it is cast out in expiration. More oxygen is taken in by inspiration and the same process is repeated.

So let your breathing be full and deep, going to the very bottom of the lungs in order that all of the blood in them may receive its full amount of oxygen before again starting upon its tour of distribution through the body. Can one use any more forcible argument in favor of loose clothing than this? It is absolutely impossible to secure plenty of oxygen if the clothing is worn at all tight, and oxygen is a food which the body must have always in abundance to keep well.

The air leaving the lungs is laden with that deadly poison, carbonic acid gas, which if given off in a close room when no provision is made for its escape and the entrance of pure air, soon renders the air utterly unfit to breathe. Perhaps some night you will find yourself unable to sleep and tumble restlessly about in bed. When this occurs go to an open window and inhale the fresh air, breathing slowly and deeply. A few minutes of this and you can return to bed and probably will soon be sleeping quietly. What has happened? By its restlessness the body was asserting its need of more oxygen. Now, you have given it what it so emphatically asked for, and it is quiet. We get as much uneasiness and disturbance from the want of this food as when we do not eat enough, only the symptoms are not so well understood nor recognized so quickly. Always keep your mouth closed and breathe through your nose. Then the air is warmed, slightly moistened and largely freed from particles of dust, so that when it enters the lungs it does not irritate them.

A condition often met with by physicians is anaemia. In this trouble the patient is pale, lifeless-looking, tired and generally used up, often without being able to tell distinctly how she does feel. Sometimes these patients say that they have not enough blood. It is really only an element of the blood which is wanting, but that is a very important one—namely, the red blood corpuscle.

When you know that it is only these corpuscles which have the power to take up and carry oxygen you see at once how important it is that the blood should not be lacking in them. Good, wholesome food, plenty of it and well digested will give you the corpuscles; furnish them with the oxygen and the body will have an important element toward health.—From What to Eat.

A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING.

When a woman is accidentally carried one floor too far in a crowded passenger elevator she usually gets hopping mad, and plainly shows it, and yet the exercise of walking to the other floor is beneficial to her health.

Henry Savage Landor, who was tortured so horribly in Thibet, has already received $25,000 in advance for royalties on his own version of the affair. Yet even at that price torture is not likely to become a popular method of earning a livelihod.

Lorenzo Dow, the eccentric preacher, once said: "If a man at 42 is not in a fair way to get his share of the world's spoils, he might as well hang up his fiddle and be content to dig his way through life as best he may."

A Socialist orator spoke from the tail end of a one horse wagon at Eleventh and Walnut Friday night. He began by saying: "We stand here tonght to—" but just there the old horse fell down on the slippery asphalt and reduced the plural to the singular.

Once when Mr. Edison was waited upon by a committee of a church to get his opinion as to the desirability of protecting the building with lightning rods he said to them: "By all means put on the rods. You know Providence is sometimes absent minded.

Richard Croker tried his prentice hand at golf the other day while at Lakewood, N. J. The attendant caddy was so disgusted with the Tammany leader's performance that he was impelled to remark: "If that man can't run New York politics better than he plays golf he'd better quit."

Berlin is an ideal city to live in, especially for nervous people. There are rigid laws there against noise making and piano playing is regulated. Before a certain hour in the day and after a certain hour in the night the piano must be silent in that musical city. Even during playing hours a fine is imposed for mere banging on the piano.

A Kansas City man received last week a postal card signed by the president and secretary of the Missouri club stating that he had been selected as a vice president for the Friday night meeting at the Gilliss, and requested that he "come early and take seats upon the stage." As he is not a large man, and unmarrieed, he wondered why one seat was not considered sufficient.

There has been a raging controversy in the columns of the New York Sun as to the nativity of Daniel Morgan, the famous commander of the Virginia riflemen during the revolution. The Irish warmly claimed him as their own, while the other side vehemently claimed that he was a Welshman. And now the dispute has been settled by a Jerseyman, who offers proof that "Morgan was born in the sovereign state of New Jersey in 1737.

The supreme court of Maryland has decided that the purchaser of a berth or a section of a sleeping car has the right to give another person the use thereof if he leaves the car before it reaches the end of the trip for which the berth was bought. A passenger secured a section, rode in it for part of the trip and then sold his section ticket to another passenger, he leaving the train. The second purchaser was refused the use of the car and was ejected, whereupon he brought suit with the above result.

Poor Dog Tray has found a friend in the Portland Oregonian, which says: "Since a glut in the dog market has been announced, it may be hoped that the transcontinental transit of the miserable brutes in crates by the car load will cease. Of all the insane features of the winter rush to Alaska, none was more utterly foolish than that which found expression in sending dogs thither by hundreds for freighting purposes, regardless of their unfitness for the work required. Every humane person must rejoice that this feature of the mining craze, the very essence of which was cruelty, has spent itself."

A part of the German soldier's equipment is a four ounce religious book.

A legal dispute about 60 cents' worth of chicken has just cost the parties $40 in Hazleton, Ind.

Sweden now holds more than 12,000,000 acres of forest land belonging to the State, an increase of over 3,000,000 in thirteen years.

Judge John Newton Hendren, the last Treasurer of the Southern Confederacy, is ill at his home near Staunton, Va.

"What do you think Shakespeare would be doing if he were alive today?" "He'd be making Ignatius Donnelly work for a living.—Chicago News.

Between Madagascar and the coast of India there are about 16,000 islands, only 600 of which are inhabited, but most of which are capable of supporting a population.

Teacher—"Of course you understand the difference between liking and loving?" Pupil—"Yes, marm; I like my father and mother, but I love pie."—Chicago News.

The Duchess de la Rouchefoucald-Dondeauville, who has just died in Paris, was for years the leader of the "great world." At one time her secretary was an American gentleman.

Professor James E. Keeler, Director of the Observatory at Allegheny, Pa., has been offered the post of Director of the Lick Observatory in California, but a effort is being made to retain his services for Allegheny.

The European hornet is shown by Dr. L. O. Howard to have existed near New York city for at least fifty years, yet it has spread less than 150 miles. In Europe the species inhabits outhouses, but in America the nests are almost invariably built in hollow trees.

Corea is about 600 miles long and 135 wide. It is very mountainous and the climate is one of the finest in the world. Nine months in the year the skies are bright, and the winter is superb, with its extreme dryness, clear skies, and crisp, frosty nights. From September to June there are no extreme of heat or cold.

A physician write to the Lancet that the other day he came across a patient in London who had leprosy in its worst form. The patient, although living for the last seven years in the middle of London, and, no doubt, suffering from the disease for a long time, had been refused admission by several hospitals and home for incurables.

We understand that in connection with the government's request to be furnished by the heads of departments with lists of the ladies employed under them, the delicate point has been raised by one chivalrous official as to whether female sweepers are to be classed as "ladies." The point is one that requires a bold answer from the Government.—Madras (India) Mal.

An English officer thus describes the tiny source of the mighty River Niger: "Cutting our way through the undergrowth, we crept and clambered down the slippery slopes till we reached the bottom and came to a moss covered rock from which a tiny spring issues, ad has made a pool below. The foliage at this spot is green, most luxuriant and beautiful, and as one looks on the birthplace of the Niger it is easy to imagine one'sself at a dripping well in some wood in England."

Electricity and Friction.

A recent accident in London has called attention to a hitherto little suspected source of danger—that attending friction or rubbing of any kind in th neighborhood of inflammable vapor. Rubbing often generates electricity, and the minutest of electric sparks, too small to be seen or even to betray itself by the slightest snapping or crackling, may set fire to a vapor. In the case alluded to, a spark from the friction of a hairdresser's hand on a patron's head set fire to the vapors of a hair-wash containing kerosene. Lord Kelvin, referring to the subject shortly after the accident, spoke warmly of the readiness with which combustible gas and air mixtures are ignited by even very faint electric sparks. He said:

"This readiness to ignite is illustrated in elementary lectures on electricity by Volta's cannon—a little varnished brass gun, mounted on a glass pillar, and having a wide touch-hole plugged with sealing wax, in the center of which is mounted a brass wire carrying a brass knob outside, and projecting inside to within one-twentieth of an inch of the end of another brass wire fixed to the metal of the gun. The gun is filled with an explosive mixture of oxygen and hydrogen, and its muzzle is plugged with a cork. The varnished outside is struck with a piece of catskin, and, thus electrified, the gun is left insulated on its glass pillar. To fire it all that is necessary is to touch the projecting knob with the finger. This causes discharge of the electricity by two exceedingly faint sparks, one barely if at all perceptible by the finger before contact with the knob outside, the other in the one-twentieth of an inch air-space within the explosive mixture inside. A loud explosion is heard and the cork is projected with sufficient force to tear a canvas picture if it chances to touch one.

"Ignition of vapor of bronze by an electric spark is well known to dyers in their process of cleaning silks and other fabrics by boiling in large caldrons of liquid benzine. When the goods are taken out of the caldorn and spread out on the table to dry, explosions have often taken place, and there can be little question that an electric spark, caused by some slight friction between dried or partially dried portions of the fabric, is the incendiary."

All of which goes to show that friction of any kind should be avoided when inflammable liquids are about.

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DANCING IN THE ATMOSPHERE.

The Wonderful Attraction Which Appears at the Oakland Tonight.

At the Oakland Theater tonight Nilsson's Aerial Ballet will make its appearance. This will be a revelation to all who revel in the spectacular. The mere sight of a woman swinging in the air would not be particularly entrancing, perhaps, but with the woman enveloped in a radiance of which she seems a part, she becomes a charming spectacle. Thus the ballet flies, and thus it pleases the eye. At the last the whole array of non-aerial dancers do better than in the beginning. They have gained confidence. They enter with zest into their work, and there is something stirring in the way they beat their tambourines. As they scurry back and forth in an orderly but dashing fashion the air above them is peopled with the flying artists, while the lantern throws upon the scene a wreath of prismatic colors and drapes the atmosphere with phantom, fluttering flags. At the climax of the finale a shower of roses is falling, some of the blooms lodging in the hair of the tired dancers, who are resting now in comfortable poses. The entire ballet resolves itself into a chorus, singing "I Love You,' and so the curtain falls.

A QUESTION OF RECORDED JUDGMENT.

The Townley-Adams Case is on Before Judge Hall.

A nice point of legal knowledge has come up before Judge Hall today when Attorney Nusbaumer made a motion to have the judgment in the Townley vs. Adams case set aside. John A. Townley built the bunker on Adams Wharf and afterwards sued Adams for money for labor. Adams conténded that Townley had not kept his contract and had not done the work properly. The case was tried by a jury in Judge Frick's court and the jury brought in a verdict for $25,000 for the plaintiff. Judge Frick immediately set aside the judgment. The attorney for the plaintiff managed, however, to get the jury's judgment on record as the clerk was in ignorance of Judge Frick's later action.

Attorney Nusbaumer today argued to have the recorded judgment set aside. His argument was based on the fact that the judgment was illegally entered and that the court's order was the only one that held good. The various papers in the case were offered as evidence and an affidavit signed by Deputy County Clerk Adams, who stated that he had entered judgment for the plaintiff, being in ignorance of the court's order and acting on the direction of Townley's attorneys.

Mr. Nusbaumer's address occupied nearly all the afternoon.

Townley's attorneys will hand in their version of the affair this afternoon.

ELKS WILL BURY BAGLEY'S REMAINS.

This afternoon the following telegram was received by Exalted Ruler Reed of the Oakland Order of Elks:

"St. Paul, April 18, 1898.

"George W. Reed, Exalted Ruler, B. O. P. E., Oakland:

"Assist Masons preparing body of Bagley. Deliver to Stateler, General Agent N. P. Ry., San Francisco, for shipment to-night sure.

"J. T. SCHUSLER,
"Exalted Ruler."

It will not be possible to send the body East to-night, but the remains will be forwarded on to-morrow evening's train.

JUDGMENT WILL BE RENDERED ON PLEADINGS.

Judge Hall this morning granted the motion of the plaintiff in the case of the Central Pacific Railroad Company against the city of Oakland, for judgment on pleadings. Harvey Brown presented the plaintiff's argument and W. A. Dow represented the city.

MARTHA MILLER OBTAINS A DIVORCE.

Judge Hall today granted a decree of divorce to Martha P. Miller, who recently brought suit against Frederick W. Miller on the ground of willful desertion. Twenty dollars per month permanent alimony was allowed to the plaintiff.

Morse Is Sued.

John R. Beckett is suing Harry N. Morse today to recover a street assessment. Morse is the man who has found so much fault with Superintendent Miller's administration.

PREPARING TO GREET THE GRAND ARMY VETERANS

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEVADA, Cal., April 18.—Bands are parading the streets and the sidewalks are thronged with men, women and children today, wrought up to the highest pitch of enthusiasm and excitement in anticipation of the coming of the Grand Army of the Republic and auxiliary societies this afternoon to hold their annual encampments.

A narrow gauge excursion train with a band and reception committee, left for Colfax at noon, amid cheers and music to meet the visitors at the junction of the central streets.

The midnight closing ordinance for saloons has been suspended and police regulations generally ignored.

Chattanooga Post this morning opened a bureau of information at the City Hall, with Quartermaster Evans in charge, and a large force of volunteer messengers will constantly be on duty there to escort strangers to their rooms and various points of interest.

There is going to be a lively struggle this year for the department president of the Woman's Relief Corps between Mrs. Abbie D. Sylvester of Riverside, present senior vice-president, and Mrs. Cora A. Merritt of Oakland, the department inspector. The adherents of both claim an easy victory for their respective favorites, and as at least one or two more aspirants are expected to come to the front as election day approaches, it will probably take several ballots to settle the controversy.

The present strength of the Woman's Relief Corps is sixty-five posts in California and four in Nevada, having a total membership of 3,109.

MOVEMENTS OF MOSQUITO FLEET.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 18.—Two vessels of the "mosquito fleet" were in the lower bay this morning. The Eagle, formerly the yacht Almy, which had gone down from the Navy Yard yesterday, probably will sail during the day. The steamer Hawk, formerly the yacht Hermoine, at 9:07 A. M. passed out of the Hook to sea. The steamer Hornet, formerly the yacht Alisia, left the Navy Yard this morning and passed quarantine at 9:23 A. M., bound out.

The Eagle passed Sandy Hook at 9:45 A. M., and the Hornet fifteen minutes later. Outside they joined the Hawk and all three proceeded under full steam to the southward.

MORE THAN THREE SCORE AND TEN.

Death of Mrs. Elizabeth Wheaton at an Advanced Age.

This morning, Mrs. Elizabeth Andrew Wheaton, relict of the late William F. R. Wheaton, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Kate A. Bulkley, 541 Albion street. The deceased had attained to the advanced age of 82 years and six months. She had long been a resident of this city and her illness had extended over some months prior to her death. The deceased was well known and highly respected here, being the mother of Major George H. Wheaton and the grandmother of Geo. S. Wheaton and Mrs. Edson F. Adams of this city. She was a native of the State of New York.

MORTUARY.

John Eber, 82 years of age, died at his home, 677 Twenty-seventh street, yesterday. He was a native of Germany, and had lived in Oakland for many years.

The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. J. E. Bushnell officiating.

Michael Roche, a native of Ireland, 60 years of age, died at 1102 East Twenty-fourth street yesterday.

The death has been reported of Kate Boyle, a native of Ireland, aged 53 years.

Mary A. Slater, who was committed to the Napa Asylum for the Insane from this city in November, 1896, died Saturday at that institution. She was a native of Vermont and was 58 years of age.

RECEIVER OF PUBLIC MONEYS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—The President to-day sent the nomination to the Senate of Charles H. Norris, to be Receiver of Public Moneys at Visalia, Calif.

Lost $180 in Cash.

J. F. Fletcher, the engineer at Fred Becker's market, left a pair of trousers hanging in the engine room this morning. The trousers contained $180 in cash. Later, when Fletcher sought his belongings, the $180 cash was missing. He lodged a complaint with the police. An employ of Becker's who was discharged today, is suspected of having appropriated the money.

Defendant Wins.

The action of Mauer vs. King was terminated today by judgment for the defendant without costs.

Meetings This Evening

There will be regular meetings of the City Council and the Board of Education this evening.

When a woman drives a nail through the plaster and hits a beam she thinks she is the smartest person she knows.

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BUSY MOMENTS IN THE VARIOUS COUNTY TOWNS.

Progress Is Shown in Some of Oakland's Suburbs.

Personal Calls and Returns Indulged in Social Circles.

WELL KNOWN PEOPLE PASS AWAY

The Fruit Crop in Certain Sections Is Not Badly Injured.

HAYWARDS.

(From the Haywards Review.)

The Bay Conference of Congregational Churches met at the Congregational Church here last Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock and continued in session during the afternoon and evening. The attendance was large and the reports from delegates showed the churches to be generally in a flourishing condition. The ladies of the church provided a fine supper in the vestry for the members of the conference.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Moderator, R. H. Chamberlain; scribe, Rev. J. R. Knodell of East Oakland; registrar and treasurer, Rev. George B. Hatch of Berkeley; chairman committee on missions, Rev. George B. Hatch; chairman committee on lay preachers, Rev. Geo. Moore of Oakland; chairman nominating committee, Rev. W. Frear of Oakland; delegates to national convention of Congregational Churches to meet in Portland, Or., July 7th, Rev. George B. Hatch, R. H. Chamberlain of Oakland and W. W. Scudder of Alameda.

The conference granted to F. J. March the privilege to preach and listened to an address by L. L. Wirt, who will proceed to the Klondike at once in the interests of the Congregational Church.

One of those pleasant parties for which the Misses Neudeck are noted was given at their home on Main street last Friday evening. The large parlors were filled with happy guests and mirth and jollity marked the entire evening and part of the morning, too, for it was 2 o'clock when the gathering broke up. Parlor games in variety were played, interspersed with social conversation, and there were songs and music. At about midnight a fine repast was served. As an appropriate souvenir each guest was given a pretty Easter egg.

A letter has been received from the Crooks-Reed party from Ketchikan, on the island of Revillagigedo, this side of Wrangell. They had a pleasant trip up and got there without mishap of any kind. The weather was fine during the entire trip. They will look around for quartz and expect to remain there some time.

Early Sunday morning one of the pioneer women of this section passed away to the other world. Mrs. Emeline A. E. Proctor, who has thus obeyed the final summons, had lived in this vicinity since 1858. That year, in the town of West Peru, Maine, she was married to J. M. Proctor, her maiden name being Hall, and shortly afterward they came to California, making the trip by the Isthmus of Panama. They settled in Redwood canyon and lived there about twelve years and then moved to the place they have since made their home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Dressler of Carson, Nevada, who purchased the Smith place on Chestnut street, have moved to town and are now permanent residents of Haywards.

The Mt. Eden Social Club will give a social dance at "The Wigwam" on Friday evening, April 22d.

John and Ed Schneider are much improved this week and their chances of recovery are better than they have been since they were taken down. Alphonse Schumann is better also and his condition is more favorable than before.

P. Wilbert has sold the Wm. Knox property to Mr. Fonceca for $500.

Miss Elmina Lynch left today for San Ramon to spend a few weeks with her parents.

J. J. McDonnell has been nursing a badly swollen foot, caused by an attack of that painful disease, sciatica.

Mrs. Kelsey of the Haywards Hotel is having a croquet ground added to the attractions of that popular place.

Editor Oakes has moved the Journal office from the Goodell building to its old location in the Smalley building on Castro street.

Mrs. A. J. Adams of Chicago is visiting her brother, Dr. G. E. Alexander. This is her first visit to California and she will spend the summer in this State.

Miss Mellie Sturtevant, who has been in Placer county several months for the benefit of her health, returned to Haywards this week and has fully recovered.

The 3-year-old son of Mrs. Wm. Owen was badly scalded about the face Monday. A servant was carrying a pan of boiling water and he grabbed hold of the pan and the water ran down his face and body. While the little fellow suffered a great deal of pain, his injuries are not serious and there will not be any disfigurement of the face.

An incipient fire was discovered in the roof of Mrs. Meyer's house on Main street Tuesday morning, but a few buckets of water put it out and there was no occasion to sound an alarm. The fire was in the part of the house used by Mr. Beck for a shoe shop and caught from the stovepipe. The damage was only nominal.

The weather has been decidedly unsettled. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday a hot spell prevailed that nearly cooked everybody and everything, and since then it has been colder.

Jesse Rice, who has been attending the High school, has given up his school work and has entered the employ of Spalding's printing house in San Francisco. Another Haywardsite, Arthur Rice, has secured a position at Brunt's establishment.

The engagement is announced of Charles W. Strobel and Miss Silvia Pauline Dobbas, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dobbas of San Francisco. Mr. Strobel is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strobel of this place and is connected with the firm of Holbrook, Merrill and Stetson.

John Hamburg of San Ramon and Miss Amelia Puff of this place were married at Martinez, Contra Costa county, Tuesday. The bride and groom are well known here and have many friends, who unite in extending the best of good wishes. The groom is engaged in farming in San Ramon valley and it is there the happy couple will make their home.

The New England Bakery has been sold by Alfred Smith to Mr. House of Los Angeles, who comes here after a successful business experience of fifteen years in that city.

Henry Russell passed away after years of suffering with stomach troubles and at last with cancer of the stomach, which caused him great pain and annoyance, which he bore manfully to the last without a murmur. He passed away at his home in Haywards on Tuesday, April 7, 1898.

NILES.

(From the Washington Press.)

The Y. P. S. C. E. has elected new annual officers, Miss Kate Ellsworth being president, E. A. Ellsworth vice president and Miss Jane Smith recording secretary.

The services in the Catholic Church Easter morning were very impressive indeed. Father Near of San Francisco was present and assisted Father McNaboe, the regular pastor. The music was under the direction of the organist.

A farce is being rehearsed by Miss Hammer, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar, Mr. Jacobus and Dr. Chalmers, to be given at the Odd Fellows' entertainment the evening of April 26th, in Ford's Hall.

Mrs. Pickering and family have moved up for the summer.

Mrs. Edward Clark has quite recovered from her recent illness.

Oliver Ellsworth and wife of Oakland spent Sunday at the home place.

Mrs. DeBussy of Pasadena is spending some little time with relatives in town.

Miss Carrie Ellsworth is slowly improving, but will not be brought home for some time.

Miss Brooks of San Francisco is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Charles Shinn, this week.

The oppressive heat is adding to the damage already found in the orchards and grain fields.

Miss Nellie Merrick of San Francisco is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Higley. Mrs. Higley has also been entertaining other guests.

The Easter services in the Congregational Church Sunday were unusually fine. There being no Sunday school following, the children took part in the programme, and the various little exercises which they gave added not a little to the pleasure of those present. Special musical numbers were given by the school; two choral numbers and two anthems were both sung in unusual style, the Mendelssohn song being particularly noticeable. The evening services were also especially arranged for the day, and a large number were present to enjoy them. Communion services were held after the morning exercises. The church had been appropriately decorated by the young ladies.

ALVARADO.

(From the Washington Press.)

Cathryn Owen of Oakland spent Saturday in town with relatives.

Mrs. D. Graves of Sacramento is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jackson.

Eugene Stevenson and Harry Crocker of Centerville were in town Tuesday.

C. W. Heyser of San Francisco spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Charles R. Nauert.

Little Ethel Foley spent her week's vacation with her aunt, Mrs. J. Castello, in the city.

Mrs. I. V. Ralph is the delegate from the Rebekah Lodge of this place to the Grand Lodge.

Mrs. E. E. Chase and children of San Jose are the guests of her parents at the Riverside.

Miss Zida Silva has returned to her home in Alvarado after a week's visit to the Jolin family in Newark.

J. M. Scribner has been elected to represent Wisteria Parlor, No. 127, at the Grand Parlor, and H. P. Vanderpier as alternate.

Alvarado is not dead. On the 23d of this month a grand ball will be given by the U. P. E. C. This is a Portuguese order which numbers among its members some of our best citizens and business men. On May 13th Wisteria Parlor, No. 127, N. S. G. W., will give a ball, and on the 27th of the same month Olivina Parlor, No. 61, N. D. G. W., will give an entertainment and dance. The new Camp W. of W. recently organized here will soon follow.

IRVINGTON.

(From the Washington Post.)

It is dangerous to cross the street these evenings there are so many "trotters" being exercised.

Mrs. Mowry of Mowry's Landing was a visitor at the home of Mrs. Lyman Babb Monday.

The injury to the fruit crop in this district by the late frosts is not quite so heavy as at first predicted.

The young ladies of Curtner Seminary were given a vacation last week, and many of them spent Easter at home.

Joe Mowry left for Modesto Friday with a large bunch of cattle. He is taking them down to give them more pasture.

Mrs. G. W. Smith, who has been visiting at the Durham home, left Tuesday for her home in Madison.

The interior of the Irvington church looks very neat since the wood-work has been varnished and new carpets laid.

Reports from all over this section of the county say that the grain crop is looking very badly and even should rain come at once it would not be of enough help to make full crops.

Mrs. Tom Witherly and Mr. N. L. Babb were the prize winners at the last meeting of the whist club, which met at the residence of Mr. A. B. Montross. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. Tom Witherly.

Great was the excitement in the rear of the "Palm" Thursday when George Cronin, with a cleaver, cut off the tail of a small bull dog. Ed and Joe hied themselves to the front porch so as not to witness the act, but Jack screwed up courage and stayed with the band wagon.

Miss Mabel Shaw of Oakland is the guest of Miss Smith.

H. D. Ford has built a fine prescription case in his store.

R. N. Thompson and wife of Los Gatos are spending a few days at the Durham home.

The ice man's harvest has begun.

Orange trees are blossoming in Mr. Crowell's grove.

George Wamsley came home from Tracy Tuesday evening quite ill. He will remain home until sufficiently recovered to resume his duties.

Ed Ismert's grist mill started up for business Tuesday morning. He is now prepared to do all kinds of grist work.

"Razzle-dazzle pedro" is the latest game in cards and is all the rage in Irvington.

Mr. Peters and family, who have been living here for the past few months, have decided to make Irvington their home, and have purchased the Pinkerton place on the hill.

A large wind mill, tank and tank-house is being erected for John Dugan by H. Crosby of Centerville.

Mrs. Wm. Dugan is lying dangerously ill at the Dugan Hotel and is liable to pass away at any moment.

Mrs. John Dugan has returned from the sanitarium at San Jose, but is no better. She is confined to her bed and is very weak.

Our cyclers are practicing hard for the contest which is soon to take place on the Athletic Club track. They say that they will simply ride the Alvaradoites to death and win the contest.

DECOTO.

(From the Washington Press.)

Charles Small is home from Salinas.

The baseball boys are taking up a subscription to purchase suits.

Miss Maggie McGraff was the guest of Miss Annie Kenneally last week.

A number of Decoto young people formed a party and went biking Sunday evening.

Tom Ibberson and G. Nelson have been heard from. They will soon be in Dawson.

Miss Annie Kenneally and brother Pat visited their sister in San Rafael Sunday.

J. H. Hayes and Miss M. Bade went as delegates to the Bay Conference, which met in Haywards Tuesday.

Miss Isabella Whipple spent her Easter vacation at home. Miss Hazel Gro of Curtner Seminary was her guest.

Harry Fortune has built a sidewalk from his place to the Postoffice and put up a hitching rail near the saloon—both much needed improvements.

The Easter services Sunday were well attended, and an interesting programme was rendered by members of the Sunday school, who were in charge of the superintendent, Miss May Kelley.

CENTERVILLE.

(From the Washington Press.)

Easter services in all the churches Sunday were well attended.

Two young ladies went biking on a tandem early Sunday morning, had a breakdown and had to walk home.

A large number of bikers took dinner at the Gregory House Sunday.

Ches Hatch has been elected delegate, and Jim Clark alternate, to the Grand Parlor, N. S. G. W., by Washington Parlor.

Two candidates in our town for the office of Public Administrator are both now out "doing" politics.

NEWARK.

(From the Washington Press.)

Both churches held Easter services Sunday.

Mrs. Pike has returned from the East where she went to attend the funeral of her father.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church has postponed its regular meeting and will attend the meeting at the home of Mrs. Patterson.

Mr. Coram has been so unfortunate as to have his hound "True Blue" poisoned. The dog was speedy and a prize winner for her owner. The dog poisoner has been rushing things throughout the township for some time past.

E. H. Thompson has received word from the lawyers who had charge of his application for a patent on a wind wheel that it has been allowed as originally submitted. This means a cheap windmill for Washington township if Mr. Thompson concludes to utilize his invention in that direction.

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INDIANS MAY CAUSE TROUBLE.

The Absence of Troops the Signal for Dancing by the Red Men.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

GUTHRIE, O. T., April 18.—Nearly 1,000 Cheyenne Indians are gathered on the banks of the North Canadian, many miles from the agency, holding a ghost dance. It is feared by many that the Indians, incited by their medicine men, will take advantage of the absence of troops from neighboring forts to start an uprising to secure more beef rations and in revenge for the enforcement of the territorial anti-polygamy law, which has caused great discontent in the tribe.

FROM FRYING-PAN INTO THE FIRE.

John Harrison, barefooted and screaming, ran into the City Prison early yesterday morning and demanded protection from two men whom he said were trying to kill him.

Harrison was locked up for drunkeness and this morning he was sentenced to serve three days by Police Judge Allen. When the man was searched a large quantity of morphine was found in his pockets. He seems to be on the verge of insanity.

Dutcher Divorce Granted.

Carrie E. Dutcher was granted a divorce today from Bert Dutcher.

THOUGHT LIFE WITHOUT HEALTH WAS WORTHLESS

N. R. Bagley Commits Suicide at the Crellin.

Was Despondent Over His Inability to Get Well.

TRIED TO HIDE HIS IDENTITY.

Registered at the Hotel as "N. O. Randall of Denver, Colorado."

N. R. Bagley, a despondent railroad man, committed suicide at the Hotel Crellin Saturday night. Before committing the desperate deed Bagley made every effort to conceal his identity, saying that he did not wish his friends to know of the manner of his death.

Bagley registered at the Crellin as "N. O. Randall, Denver," Saturday night about 8 o'clock and left an order to be called at 7:30 o'clock Sunday morning. He then retired to the room assigned to him.

According to the order, the bell boy went to the room yesterday morning at the specified time, but after knocking several times, returned and told the day clerk that Bagley or "Randall" could not be aroused. The clerk then tried to awaken Bagley, but with no better success, and Proprietor Hartmann was notified. Mr. Hartmann had the door forced in and Bagley was found in bed in an unconscious condition.

Dr. Fall, who resides at the hotel, was summoned, and he immediately announced that the unconscious man was suffering from morphine poisoning. The patrol wagon was then summoned and Bagley was taken to the Receiving Hospital, but soon after reaching the hospital he died. The body was then taken to the morgue.

On the table of the room occupied by Bagley at the Crellin was a letter addressed: "Proprietor Hotel Crellin." The letter was as follows:

"After a fruitless chase of a year and a half after health, which is constantly failing, my funds are exhausted, so I take the only course left me and put an end to an existence which is only a burden to me, without hope for the future.

"I shall take ten grains of morphine.

"I am a Mason, Knight Templar, Shriner and Elk, and by notifying them they will probably see that I am properly started on my journey to that house not built with hands where the fare is plain but wholesome— the oasis toward which I am traveling.

"I do not wish my friends to know that I have come to such an end; so I do not specify to what lodges I belong, but rely on my brothers to take a brother's word.

"My name is assumed and I am unknown at Denver. I much regret the trouble I am causing.

"O. N. RANDALL.

"Herewith my last 50 cents for my lodging."

The deceased was well dressed when he appeared at the hotel Saturday night. He wore a Prince Albert coat of broadcloth, trousers of a striped design and excellent material, a doeskin vest and linen of the best quality. He had also a brown suit with him. He wore a gold Elk's button in the lapel of his coat, a gold coil stick-pin in his cravat, a gold-mounted Elk's tooth for a watch charm and a Mystic Shriner's cap. From this, the name of the temple had been cut with a knife. Some of the linen belonging to the deceased was marked "N. O. Randall," but other pieces were marked "N. R. Bagley," and still others bore the laundry mark "O. S F."

In a letter the Coroner discovered five cards bearing the name 'N. R. Bagley, 513 McAllister street," and evidently freshly written.

Bagley seemed so refined when he appeared at the hotel that the rule requiring strangers to pay in advance was overlooked.

In San Francisco Bagley had been living since last October at 513 McAllister street, a house kept by a Mrs. Olsen. The landlady said yesterday that Bagley left her house Saturday evening about 6:30 o'clock and said he was going to the springs for his health. He was apparently in the best of spirits and promised to return. He was a great sufferer from rheumatism and was quite lame at times when he walked, stopping frequently on the stairs or on the street to rest.

T. M. Stateler of Alameda called at the morgue last night and identified the deceased. He said he saw him last Tuesday for the last time, when he had a moustache. He had known Bagley in the East.

The following dispatch has been received from St. Paul:

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 17.—Norton R. Bagley was born in Lacrosse, Wis., and was 38 years of age. He came to St. Paul seventeen years ago, took a place with the Northern Pacific and soon was promoted to the position of chief clerk. Thirteen years ago his mother, one son and two daughters came to this city to live and Norton lived with his mother here. One married sister lives in Merriam Park, a part of the city.

Bagley's health has not been good for several years and consumption developed. A year ago by advice he went to the Coast and has been traveling since in that direction. When last heard from he was at Los Angeles, but that was some weeks ago.

George W. Reed, exalted ruler of the Elks, Myron T. Whidden, and A. F. Macdonough, interested themselves in identifying Bagley and the funeral may be held under the auspices of the Oakland lodge.

Coroner Baldwin has telegraphed to the Masonic lodges of Minneapolis to ascertain what disposal of the remains will be made.

Coroner Baldwin will hold an inquest on the remains this evening at 8 o'clock.

WEYLER HANGED IN EFFIGY.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 18.—An effigy of General Weyler hung from a telephone pole at Seventh avenue and Seventh street, Brooklyn, all day Sunday. The figure was put up before daylight Sunday morning, and was still hanging late last night.

The effigy was dressed in a regulation military uniform. On the head was a campaign hat, and the features were a true reproduction of those of Weyler. The figure was suspended fifty feet from the ground, and on the breast, in large black letters, were the words: "Weyler the Butcher."

Crowds stood about the effigy all day long.

At one time during the afternoon the crowd became so great that the trolley cars were blocked until a reserve squad of policemen was called to disperse it.

A LARGE ESTATE FOR FINAL DISTRIBUTION.

A petition for the settlement of the final account and distribution of the estate of Caesar C. Olcese has been filed. The total value of the estate is $105,135.50, the bulk of which is in real estate and mining interests.

Margaret Olcese is administratrix of the estate, bound in the sum of $7,000. She reports expenditures aggregating $8,048.12.

LYNN'S CASE IS DISMISSED.

Though Insane He May Yet Be Tried for His Crime.

John W. Lynn's name was dropped from the calendar of the Police Court this morning. Lynn was charged with assault to murder and if he is ever released from the Ukiah Insane Asylum his prosecution will probably be continued.

Judge Allen suspended judgment in the case of James Deacon, arrested for peddling without a license.

The case of J. F. Cameron, the Twelfth street blacksmith, charged with battering his wife, went over till May 18th.

Ah Wah, charged with peddling without a license, forfeited $5 bail.

The charge of battery against Danny Needham, the pugilist, was stricken from the calendar, John Johnson, who caused Needham's arrest, refusing to swear to a complaint.

The charge against Frank Cronin, for vagrancy and resisting Officer Pardee, was, on motion of Prosecuting Attorney Melvin, stricken from the calendar.

Elizabeth Holmes, charged with battery, pleaded not guilty. Her trial was set for May 20th.

ORGANIZED LABOR IS FOR BATTLE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 18.—Bishop Potter presented a set of resolutions against war at the meeting of the Central Labor Union last night, but they were defeated by a vote of nearly two to one. The resolutions were signed by the Bishop, Ernest H. Crosby, William Dean Howells, Bolton Hall, Charles Frederic Adams and John Crosby.

The resolutions are a masterly arraignment of war and a plea for peace, couched in the most persuasive language of men renowned for their ability in the use of words, but they failed to stem the tide of patriotism. They say the destruction is a question of fact and should be left to arbitration; that the cruelty and oppression of the poor in our own land is equal to that in Cuba; that war will add only suffering to both Cuba and the United States; that a Cuban republic would be more cruel and oppressive than the Spanish rule; that the speculators would make money while the workingmen of the two nations shot each other down, and that a foreign war would interfere with the great battle for industrial freedom, which is more important.

Williams Divorce.

Mary Williams has brought suit in divorce against Thomas S. Williams.

Clothes are said to make the man, but acknowledgments are also due the woman who keeps the buttons sewed on.

MESSAGE FROM THE DEAD IS OVERRULED.

A Family Squabble Terminates After Friends Intervene.

Two Grandchildren Secure Their Property Despite Spirits' Orders.

The property rights of Mrs. Philipina Goller, which recently became so involved on account of a spiritualistic message from her dead husband, which ordered her to deed over her possessions to her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bernardino Hildebrandt, a spiritual medium, have at last been settled. The deed of property has been transferred to the two grandchildren and this arrangement is entirely satisfactory to all the parties concerned.

The property in question is worth $3,000, and it was understood that eventually it should be left for the two grandchildren. Mrs. Hildebrandt had managed the property for Mrs. Goller, and also cared for the gandchilden. As a medium she also watched after the spiritual welfare of her mother-in-law. As a result of a recent sitting, a message came to Mrs. Goller advising her to deed over the property to Mrs. Hildebrandt in order that she might more readily handle it. She did so.

Family troubles arose over it, and Mrs. L. Strippel, mother of the children, suspecting shrewd play, instituted suit to have the deed set aside. Before the matter was settled in court, however, friends brought about this amicable settlement.

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The Rev. Sawyer last evening preached at the Christian Church and in the course of his remarks, said:

"The weird, uncanny story of Dr. Jekyl and Mr. Hyde, in which man is lowered to the state of the monster and again transformed to the dignity of man, at the will of man himself, has set the tongues of the world to wagging, and yet it is one of the oldest stories known to humanity.

"That it is something more than mere fiction is demonstrated daily in the change from a higher to a lower, or lower to a higher state of being, constantly taking place in our own life, or the lives of our fellow men. The trend of the ages is from a lower to a higher state of being—from monster to man—from the human to the divine.

"Did we all understand the Scriptures as they are written, and not as erroneously interpreted by the partisan and bigot, there would be little hesitancy upon our part in accepting the theory of the scientist, and in recognizing in man the perfection of all the lower forms of life, in seeing in him all that is grandest and best in the mineral, vegetable and animal kingdoms, and to trace with honest satisfaction the events connected with his transition from the imperfect state of the monster to the perfect state of the man. Within the human form is found the composite elements of both earth and heaven. When God breathed into his nostrils the essence of life, he became something more than a partaker of the earthly elements—he "became a living soul; he stood between earth and heaven, a creature of dual tendencies, partaking of the nature of both monster and man; the monster seeking to lead him downward to the level of the beast, the man striving to lead him upward to his God. The greatest lesson taught man in his daily experiences from the cradle to the grave is the necessity for constant advancement, and, if he be a successful man, he has early learned the lesson that his advancement in life is very largely dependent upon his own efforts. 'What I believe, that I become,' is one of the grand thoughts contributed to the modern world by that prince of teachers, Phillip Brooks; 'All things are possible to him that believeth' is the grander thought given to the world by that Prince of princely teachers, Jesus Christ.

"What man may have been in the ages preceding that time when God breathed into his nostrils the essence of life, I know not, I care not, but of this I am convinced: 'man became a living soul.' God gave to him the power to transform himself from the monster to the man and made it possible for him to advance step by step to a nobler, grander, better state of being; from the lowest valleys of humanity to climb to the distant heights of divinity. For centuries, man has been taught that he is created 'after the image and in the likeness' of his God, and yet to-day he is at a loss to know to what extent he reflects the image of his Creator, and the measure of the power God has entrusted to him.

"The infant man of the primeval period was a creature of materialistic tendencies, dependent upon his physical rather than intellectual powers, while to-day he has advanced to a position where his successes are the result of intellectual, or spiritual forces, the product of brain rather than brawn. The scriptures teach, and science demonstrates beyond a doubt that for thousands of years man was a non-producer. Like the helpless babe, his only desire was food and pleasure. He did little or nothing to beautify the earth or to better his own condition. Yet within this gross, materialistic form was that divine image, the immortal soul, and this creature, wandering amid the rocky fastnesses of nature, seemingly but a higher species of the brute creation, was destined to grow, to develop, to become an intellectual and spiritual force, taking the position for which he was designed, the co-laborer of his God in perfecting an imperfect world.

"What shall be the ruling power of your life? Shall it be the power that leads you downward to death or upwards to truth and life? The moment of decision has arrived for some life. To stand still is an utter impossibility; slowly perhaps, but also surely, the great transformation is occurring. What will be the effect upon your life of to-morrow? Will you drink the transforming draught from the eternal fountain of life, or will you quaff the cup of destruction? Friend, your life is momentarily changing. Is it to be the monster or the man? You alone can answer, eternity alone will tell. 'The wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.'"

REV. PHILIP GRAIF'S SERMON ON THE JEWS.

Believe They Should Be Honored for Their Religion and Faithfulness.

Last night at the Twenty-first street Free Baptist Church, the pastor, Rev. Philip Graif, preached on "The Great Passages of the Old Testament," and in his prelude on "The Modern Jew and the Antisemitic Cry" substantially said:

"Israel is a perpetual miracle of preservation and progress. In spite of Egyptian lash and Babylonish exile, Haman's plot and Jerusalem's downfall, Russia's knout whip, and Spain's inquisitorial rack, this martyr-race still lives and tarives. In a certain sense old, by long ages of culture, pale and exhausted in body ofttimes. Yet his withered stock runs at the core with a rich vital sap, hides and nourishes deep within a secret power of recuperation, a marvelous gift of rising each time, phoenix-like, from the cinders and ashes of seeming extinction, into the bloom and vigor, the dash and sparkle of a masterful youth. As a rule, among the better class, the Israelitish mind is so lucid and supple, his will so firm and well-poised, that his physical mold is no match for the gymnastics of his intellect. Through the fine training power of Talmudic casuistry and the grindstone effects of the Protean shapes of suffering, his intelligence has grown wonderfully nimble and keen-edged, and his adaptation to environment, whether under the birches of the Niemen or the palms of the Nile is a standing miracle.

"No doubt the Jew's fine mercantile instinct has given him the look of being a cold, calculating materialist, but piercing beneath the outer skin to the deeper facts of life we find a world of nobler passions and ideals. Clear, delicately exact, handling things and ideas with a kind of scrupulous nicety, ever in close unsentimental touch with realities, sensitively and widely alive to the subtlest shades of men's characters, the high class typical Hebrew not only understands the art of money-getting, but also, as well, the finer art of high speculation and superb scholarship. Few philosophic curricula give a sharper edge and more alertness to the mind than a severe course of training in rabbinical dialectics.

"Why should there be an antisemitic cry raised in France or Germany, or anywhere else? Is it Christian to foment strife or jealousy between nations, Aryan or Semitic? When brought face to face with brutal, unbrotherly practice, do not our loud pratings about fin-de-siecle enlightenment and culture ring rather hollow? Scratch but lightly the elegant veneer of our boasted civilization, and the primitive savage leaps in a rage from his decorous sleep. No, a vendetta gospel belies the divine oracles. The jarring students notes of pious rancor find no encouragement in the sweet charity of the Holy Nazarene. Besides, there is no fundamental divergence of instinct and blood between Semitic and Aryan people, and they should not be at swords' points. Still every unkind or censorious impulse, for nothing is more repugnant to the spirit of Christianity than race-hatred. Indeed, in many respects, Israel deserves our highest regard. Was it not a pale, haggard Jew, staggering under a cross towards the hill of Calvary, whom we devoutly call Lord and Savior? Were not the first flaming Apostles, Peter and John, James and Paul of the seed of Abraham? Are not the new ideals of social justice, the watch-words of English patriotism and the inspirations of Plymouth Rock and American independence to be traced rather to Sinai's far-off crest and to the old Hebrew scrolls than to Luther's bold hammer-stroke or the outburst of the renaissance?

"Yes, in the deepest and truest sense the Aryans and the Semites are brothers, and co-workers in the liberation war of humanity. In some things they may distinctly differ from each other, but in keeping the knees stiffly unbent before foreign gods and loving truth and holiness, Judaism is in accord with the evangel of Christianity. To emphasize the agreements and minimize the non-essential differences is the secret of toleration and fraternal love. Long enough has Israel been made a scape-goat by the cruel and decorous ages. Instead of wearing a thorn-crown, let us deck her brow with a wreath of just appreciation. Her Old Testament alone is a world of lofty influence and power."

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PROOF OF THE TRUTH OF BIBLE PRECEPTS.

At the Church of the Advent yesterday morning Rev. V. Marshall Law preached an interesting sermon, in the course of which he said:

"This is Eastertide. We are still in the presence of the greatest festival the world has ever known. The vast majority of mankind cannot investigate the claims of the resurrection for themselves, hence must take them at second hand from those who have given attention to the subject. If true, the Resurrection is the most important and most stupendous piece of news ever told to the earth. To whom can we go for information upon which we may rely?

"We go to experts for everything else. Why not seek an expert on evidence for this? Edison and Tesla are our oracles in the field of electricity. The man who serenely sneers at the claims of the resurrection or the divinity of Christ is not heeded if he sneers at the great electricians, and why should they be when they scoff at the resurrection? Let us pass by the loafers at the corner stores, who, with ribald jest and unclean diction, calmly attempt to whittle away the truths of the New Testament.

"Not only did Simon Greenleaf, of whom I spoke last Sunday, find that the historical facts of the New Testament would stand the test of a trial in a court of justice, when squared by the rules of evidence used in courts of law, but the great Chief Justice Story, the predecessor of Simon Greenleaf in the Harvard Law School, had reached the same conclusion. Hear what Greenleaf had to say of Judge Story while he was yet living and had an opportunity to endorse it. In a discourse delivered on the life and character of Judge Story, Prof. Greenleaf said:

"'He had studied the evidences of Christianity with professional closeness and care, and had given to them the testimony of his full assent; and he has often been heard to declare that, in his judgment, the great facts of the gospel history were attested by a mass of evidence which in any court of law would be perfectly satisfactory and conclusive.'

"Gladstone, the grand old man, who will not be much longer in the church militant, said just recently: 'All I write and all I think and all I hope is based on the divinity of our Lord, the one central hope of our poor wayward race.'

"Young man, let the corner loafers and scoffers go. Let skeptics and infidels and Unitarians go their way, but do you remember, and write on the tablets of your hearts for eternal reference, that three of earth's greatest lawyers pronounce for the divinity and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Stand by Greenleaf, Story and Gladstone."

REV. DR. SWEENEY HEARTILY WELCOMED.

Rev. George W. Sweeney preached at the First Christian Church yesterday. Rev. T. D. Butler is the present pastor. Dr. Sweeney was the pastor of this church for eight or nine years. The church was crowded to overflowing. The partition between the Sunday school room and the auditorium was opened, and the Sunday school room was also packed, while the aisles were seated with chairs and people in the vestibule stood throughout the delivery of the sermon.

Dr. Sweeney's old friends from all the different churches and outsiders of all trades and professions and avocations were present to attest that they had not forgotten their pastor and former friend. Mr. Sweeney has been absent three years.

At the conclusion of the sermon there was a perfect ovation, people crowding the aisles and about the railing of the pulpit, seeking to extend a hand to welcome home the returning preacher.

The sermon was on "Growing Godward." It was versatile and many sided and far reaching in its bearings. The sermon and elaborations and illustrations can't well be described. It must be heard to be appreciated.

EDWARDS DAVIS ON THE WARPATH.

He Hotly Denounces Rev. Sawyer at a Church Meeting.

"Either I am a knave or you are a liar and a scandalmonger. If I am the one I am willing that the world should know it. If you are a puppet I want, at least, my friends to know it. I never in the history of my pastorate had a charge against me sustained. When my back was turned on the Lord's work you, on Easter morn, thrust a venomous dagger into my heart. But I live and am before you, evidently to your humiliation. I demand my expose or yours."

Thus spoke the Rev. Edwards Davis to his successor, the Rev. R. H. Sawyer, last evening at one of the most exciting scenes the worshipers of the Central Christian Church have witnessed.

Davis sat in the rear of the hall during the services, but at the close he confronted Sawyer in the isle. He began speaking quietly, but soon lost his temper and expressed himself in the foregoing words.

"I have been anxious for this meeting ever since the name of Central Church has been aspersed," he declared.

Rev. Sawyer told Mr. Davis that he retracted nothing he had said, but that the church was not the proper place for a dispute.

Davis left vowing that he would secure vindication.

The scene occurred at A. O. U. W. Hall, where the church now meets, and it was witnessed by about fifty of the congregation.

COMPANY F AT TARGET PRACTICE.

Some Excellent Scores Are Made by the Boys in Blue.

A target practice at 200 yards and 500 yards was held by the officers and members of Company F, Fifth Infantry, N. G. C., at Shell Mound Park, yesterday. The following scores were made:

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Priv. D. C. Preston	17	13	30
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J. H. KERCHEVAL LAID AT REST.

Impressive Funeral Services Held Yesterday Afternoon.

The funeral of the late John H. Kercheval was held yesterday afternoon under the auspices of Oakland Lodge 188, of Masons, Oakland Commandery of Knights Templar, Admiral D. D. Porter Post of the Grand Army of the Republic, University Lodge of Odd Fellows, and the Southern Pacific Company's employes.

George H. Smith, Worshipful Master of Oakland Lodge, and Joseph C. Chandler, Eminent Commander of Oakland Commandery, conducted the impressive Masonic and Knight Templar services, and the Temple Quartette furnished the music.

The pall bearers were as follows: From Porter Post, H. H. Kirby, Andrew J. Hollywood; Oakland Lodge of Masons, Fred L. Button, Z. T. Gilpin; Oakland Commandery, W. T. Hamilton, D. L. Davis; University Lodge, William McCarthy, Thomas Ball, Southern Pacific Company employes, D. Robertson, W. S. Palmer, William McKenzie, A. Baker. The interment was in Mountain View cemetery.

MET DISASTER ON HIS WHEEL.

Walter Rossi, a San Francisco business man residin gat 1415½ Hayes street was picked up at Eighth and Webster streets last night in a critical condition.

A shattered bicycle lay near him, and as was later ascertained, it caused the accident.

Rossi came to Oakland yesterday as the guest of Dr. Overend. The two dined together, after which Rossi went for a wheel ride. Nothing was heard of him until he was picked up unconscious last night. He was conveyed to the Receiving Hospital and revived somewhat. Dr. Overend then took him in charge and treated his injuries. His head was split open an dhis body badly bruised.

Conclave of Knights Templar.

At the close of the session of the grand commandery, K. T., on Saturday next, there will take place on Van Ness avenue, San Francisco, a grand parade and review. There will be three battalions in line, composed of the commanderies of this district; and the grand commandery will turn out as a battalion. The lines will be formed at 2 o'clock sharp. Oakland Commandery No. 11 will hold its last rehearsal on Tuesday evening, at 7:45, at Masonic Temple, at which every Sir Knight is expected to attend.

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*9:10 a	Peters, Milton and Oakdale.	*6:20 p
1:36 p	Niles, San Jose and way stations	§8:36 a
2:36 p	Livermore, Mendota, Hanford and Visalia	3:37 p
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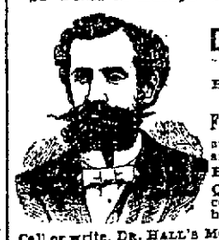

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PREPARATIONS ARE MADE FOR C. E. CONVENTION

Leonard Merrill, State President of the Christian Endeavor Society, participated in three meetings yesterday, at the Congregational, Brooklyn Presbyterian and Alameda Methodist Churches respectively. He spoke chiefly in regard to the State Convention to be held in Los Angeles June 22nd. He stated that the sessions would be held in the Baptist Church of that city which seats 2,000 persons and is within a block of two churches where overflow meetings will be held.

The programme will be one of the best ever prepared for a like gathering. Rev. Wyland Hoyt, the noted Baptist divine of Chicago, and a popular trustee of the United Society, will be one of the principal speakers. No sunrise prayer meetings will be held except Sunday morning, but from 8:30 to 9:30 each morning the "morning watch" will be observed as the opening services for the day. The business session will be held Saturday morning, denominational rallies in the afternoon, and evangelical services on Sunday. The evening services will be of public interest.

A. R. Waters, transportation manager for Northern and Central California, announced rates of one fare for the round trip, provided 300 from north of Lathrop made the trip, otherwise the usual one and a third fare would prevail. It is desired that the delegates leave Oakland pier at 8:30 P. M., Wednesday, June 22nd, by special train which would allow a daylight trip over Tehachapi, arriving at Los Angeles for a late lunch about 1 P. M. Thursday.

Mr. Merrill attended a meeting of the State executive committee in San Jose yesterday. The others present were general secretary Francis M. Reid, San Jose; superintendent of street car and railroad men's work, E. C. Gilbert, San Francisco; superintendent of Tenth Legion, H. J. Waters, Oakland; president Mrs. J. A. Cameron, Alameda City Union; president E. H. Baker, Santa Clara county Union; president J. Dutal, Santa Cruz Union; ex-president William G. Alexander, San Jose; Rev. F. H. Marr, Redwood City, and R. R. Patterson, editor Pacific Christian Endeavorer. The reports showed the work in good condition. Five hundred dollars was set aside for convention expenses, and the necessary authority given the officers to go ahead with the work outlined.

Each of the superintendents was authorized to purchase a banner and present it to the United Society to be awarded at Nashville in July to the State Union doing the most to promote their lines of work. These are to be awarded each year on this basis.

UNITARIAN LADIES AROUSED TO ACTION.

Are Opposed to the Committment Girls to Reform Schools.

The ladies of the Unitarian Church have adopted resolutions protesting against wayward girls being sent to Whittier. There was a meeting at the First Unitarian Church Saturday of ladies from the bay districts of the Unitarian Church. The methods employed by Mrs. Lydia Prescott, secretary of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, were criticised, the ladies declaring that she was too ready to have girls committed.

The ladies also believed that the Whittier Reform School should be given over entirely to girls, and a place for the boys found elsewhere.

During the meeting the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That it is the sense of the women here assembled that our girls should not be sent to the Whittier Reform School under the existing conditions, but that other reform measures should be tried.

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Have you used Pears' Soap?

VETERANS AT THE ENCAMPMENT.

The Old War Heroes Assemble Tomorrow at Nevada City.

Major E. W. Woodward, past senior vice-department commander of the Grand Army of the Republic of California and Nevada and one of the members of the celebrated California 100, together with the delegates from Lyon Post and corps, Joe Hooker Post No. 11, Appomattox Post No. 50, Lookout Mountain Post No. 88, Porter Post No. 169, Sons of Veterans, W. R. C., and Ladies of the G. A. R., will attend the department encampment which convenes at Nevada City tomorrow.

The delegates from San Francisco left on the 8 A. M. train today, and the Oakland delegates left at 8:30 A. M. from Sixteenth-street depot.

Great preparations have been made to welcome the veterans and kindred societies by the citizens of Nevada City. An escort and band of music will meet the guests at Colfax on the arrival of the train, and it is estimated that over 500 representatives of the G. A. R. will be in attendance. The encampment will continue till Friday next.

AFTER FIFTY YEARS.

The Methodists Hold a Jubilee Celebration at Santa Cruz

The golden jubilee of the Methodist Church was commenced at Santa Cruz yesterday. It was opened by Bishop Taylor and the Rev. Eli McClish preached the jubilee sermon.

Among the ministers attending the jubilee are: Rev. J. D. Hammond, Rev. W. W. Case, presiding elder, San Francisco; Rev. E. R. Dille of Oakland. The following, who were former pastors of the Santa Cruz church, are also present: Rev. Alfred Higbie, San Francisco; Rev. P. G. Buchanan, Berkeley; Rev. J. L. Trefren, Rev. C. G. Milnes, Oakland; Rev. W. Dennett, Rev. W. Peck, Los Gatos; Rev. J. W. Bryant, Salinas; Rev. E. E. Dodge, San Rafael; Rev. H. B. Heacock, Santa Clara. The celebration will continue four days.

A DRUNKEN BRAWL ENDS DISASTROUSLY.

Charles Blethen, William Terry and Edward Donelly, after imbibing too freely from the foaming bowl, engaged in an altercation at the "Hermitage" yesterday, which terminated disastrously for the latter. It is said the subject of debate was, "Resolved, That I'm Not Drunk."

When hostilities had ceased, Donnelly alone was wounded, his right leg being broken in five places. He was carried to the Receiving Hospital for treatment, and his co-partners were lodged in the City Prison on charges of drunkenness and battery.

MRS. AMY TAYLOR IS CHARGED WITH INSANITY.

Mrs. Amy Taylor, of 8th and Harrison streets, was lodged in the Receiving Hospital yesterday and charged with insanity. She is the wife of an engineer on the Southern Pacific.

Two years ago Mrs. Taylor underwent a severe operation which left her nerves in a tender condition. Gradually they have become unstrung until yesterday the unfortunate woman gave way in a violent fit of melancholia. Her attorney called to converse with her, and averred that she is sane and will soon be discharged.

An Episcopal Entertainment.

The Ladies Guild of the Church of the Advent will give an interesting entertainment to-morrow night at the church. Professor Eames, the well-known musician, and a select club of players will be among the attractions on the programme. The admittance fee is placed at ten cents, and the receipts will be given to the fund for new vestments for the choir.

With some devotion to a mean husband is merely an obstinate determination not to admit having made a mistake.—Chicago Record.

RACES AT THE ELMHURST TRACK.

The Acme Riders Win the Two-Mile Tandem Handicap.

A large crowd attended the bicycle races and baseball game at the Elmhurst grounds yesterday. The five-mile match race between Jurgovitcsh and Summers of the Encinal Cyclers was won by the latter.

The feature of the day's sport was the two-mile tandem race. It was won by the Acme Club. The entries and order of finish were as follows: Burke and Anderson, Acme; Deacon and Wyman, Reliance; Smith and Curtis, Encinal Cyclers; Krotz and Tantau, Olympic.

The California Cycling Club won at baseball from the Bay City Wheelmen, the score being 12 to 6.

Endorses Metcalf.

Victor Metcalf of Oakland, a very able jurist, is in the field for the nomination of Congressman in the Third District, and he is out to win. Metcalf is as independent as "they make 'em," there's no boss' collar about his neck, he has opinions of his own and has the interest of this district at heart. His record is clean and pure and the candidacy of such a man quickly rallies support to him. He already has made hosts of friends in the few trips he has made about the district, and Alameda, Contra Costa, Colusa, Glenn, Lake, Solano and Yolo should feel proud that such a man is willing to serve and work for the interests of the people. To all appearances, Mr. Metcalf has no opposition and will undoubtedly be elected by one of the biggest majorities ever given any man in this district.

The Gazette stands for Victor Metcalf of Oakland for Congressman.—Contra Costa Gazette.

"My Cake is Dough." Do not use Sperry's Flour.

Notice to Voters.

REGISTRATION.

Office of the County Clerk of Alameda County, Cal.

Notice is hereby given that all citizens whose names are not now on the Great Register of Alameda county are requested to register in order to be entitled to vote at the next general election in November, 1898.

That owing to failure of the Governor to approve the act unanimously passed by both branches of the last Legislature providing assistance for Clerk it is necessary to begin registration at an early date in order to satisfactorily attend to registration.

That voters who have since the date of the last general election taken up their residence in Alameda county, and those who since that date have removed from precinct in which their name appears on Great Register, must make affidavit in order to have their names placed on Register of precinct in which they now reside.

That it is NOT necessary for voters who registered for the general election of 1896 and whose names appear on the Great Register of 1896 to again make affidavit for registration UNLESS SINCE THE DATE OF LAST REGISTRATION THEY HAVE CHANGED THEIR PLACE OF RESIDENCE.

That registration will continue to and including August 9th, 1898, after which it will cease.

Attention is called to the provisions of Section 1083, which provides that those "who shall have been a resident of the State ONE YEAR next preceding the election, and of the county in which they claim their vote NINETY DAYS, and in the election precinct THIRTY days" are entitled to registration.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavit for registration or transfer may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the county, or before any Deputy County Assessor, without charge.

Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public.

Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits, OTHER THAN FOR THE PURPOSES OF TRANSFER, when names are ENTERED on Great Register, postal cards will be sent giving date of entry. If postal is not received, voters should ascertain the reason why.

The office of the County Clerk in the Hall of Records will be, until further notice, open for registration from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. of each day.

Dated April 4, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, County Clerk.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Mary Randall, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Frances M. Cragin, as administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of Mary Randall, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, that they are required to exhibit such claims, with the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix with the will annexed, at the law office of A. N. Drown, Esq., at room No. 2, at No. 19½ Sutter street, in the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, and which said office the undersigned designates as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Mary Randall, deceased.

FRANCES M. CRAGIN, As administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of Mary Randall, deceased.

Dated and published this 21st day of March, A. D. 1898.

A. N. DROWN, Attorney for said Administratrix.

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Announces himself a Candidate —for—

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Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Corbett, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary Corbett, deceased, and for the issuance to Edward Cavanagh of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 25th day of April, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, April 13th, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

LEGAL.

ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

ALSO POLL TAX NOTICE.

Oakland, March 7th, 1898.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 31st, 1898, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1898,

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 31st, 1898, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1898.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

Poll Tax Must Be Paid on Demand.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1898 is now due and payable at my office, Room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3853 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON, Assessor of Alameda County.

Oakland, California.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Russell, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Henry Russell, deceased, and for the issuance to John H. Russell of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated April 15th, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

R. W. HENT, Att'y for Petitioner, 605 Clay St., San Francisco.

Order to Show Cause.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda.

In the matter of F. W. Corder, an insolvent debtor.

Upon reading and filing the amended petition of Jas. P. Taylor, Kullman, Salz & Co. (a corporation), N. P. Peterson & Co. (a copartnership), Henry Cowell & Co. and Wm. Storm, and good cause appearing therefor:

It is ordered that F. W. Corder be and appear before this Court, at the Courtroom thereof, in Department 2, county of Alameda, on the 25th day of April, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, then and there to show cause, if any he can, why he should not be adjudged an insolvent debtor, and a surrender of his estate be made for the benefit of his creditors in the manner required by insolvent debtors.

And it is further ordered, that until the further order of this Court the said F. W. Corder be and he is hereby forbidden to transfer any property, and is enjoined from collecting or receiving any debts, and the debtors of the said F. W. Corder are hereby forbidden to pay any debt to said F. W. Corder, or to deliver to him any property belonging to him, or to any person, firm or corporation for his use.

Dated Jan. 20th, 1898.

W. E. GREENE, Judge of the Superior Court.

BREARTY & WHITE, Att'ys for Creditors, 1004 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

LEGAL

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1897.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1897.

To all taxpayers in the county of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the county of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said county of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and county taxes for the year 1897, on all property within the county of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the second Monday in October, 1897, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said county of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER IN THE YEAR 1897.

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda county, situated in the city of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquen on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1897.

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1898, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1897 will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1898, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1898,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the second Monday in October, 1897, all the taxes, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or, if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1897.

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 11th day of October, 1897.

JAMES B. BARBER, Tax Collector of the county of Alameda, State of California.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Salome Anderson, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc., and application for letters of administration with will annexed.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Salome Anderson, deceased, and for the issuance to William H. Knight, Public Administrator, of letters of administration with the will annexed, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 25th day of April, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted.

Dated, April 14th, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

E. C. ROBINSON, HAROLD L. MARTIN, W. J. ROBINSON, Attorneys for Petitioner.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Frank Brown, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Frank Brown, deceased, and for the issuance to Carolino Brown of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 25th day of April, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, April 13th, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

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Prices of many coffees reduced—in this one we improve the quality

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High grade food

Talcum powder tin 10c
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regularly 25c tin
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TROUBLE BREWING IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

The Greater Republic May Declare War Against Costa Rica.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 18.—Cable advices just received from the Herald's correspondent in Managua, Nicaragua, state that during the last ten days the Diet of the Greater Republic has been occupied ith the Costa Rica and Nicaraguan question.

Communications between the Diet and the Costa Rican government have resulted in a few modifications on both sides for indemnity and reparation for alleged wrongs perpetrated one against the other. After long deliberation the Diet decided to send to Costa Rica a memorandum, practically an ultimatum, couched in terms which it is believed will not be accepted by Costa Rica. This memorandum will say if the terms are not accepted war will be declared within forty-eight hours.

Mail advices from the Herald's correspondent in Managua, dated a few days ago, stated that he had just learned that the Court of Arbitration, which met aboard the United States naval vessel Alert, at Punta Arenas, signed an agreement to temporarily suspend war preparations in Nicaragua and Costa Rica and withdraw their forces from the frontier until a final decision of the arbitrators, who will meet in Guatemala City, is reached.

The arbitrators will only consider claims of Nicaragua against Costa Rica for aiding the Nicaraguan rebels and Costa Rica's claim for the arrest and imprisonment of Consul Beeche in Managua in September last.

PERUVIAN MINT COINS SOVEREIGNS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 18.—A dispatch to the Herald from Lima announces that the first thousand Peruvian sovereigns have been coined by the mint and are now in circulation.

A dispatch from Valparaiso announces the arrival there of the British warship Leander.

A dispatch from Guayaquil, Ecuador, announces that the Governor of the province has been placed under arrest by the Commander in Chief of the army. The cause is not generally known, but it is supposed he is accused of being in league with a revolutionary movement to overthrow President Alfaro.

IN THE COURTS TODAY

The following complaints in foreclosure have been filed: Oakland Building and Loan Association against Lizzie Melbourne et al, for $1,600, and S. B. Chandler against Peter Johansen et al, for $700 with interest.

The motion of plaintiff in the action of Claude Smith vs. Sunset Telephone Company to retax costs was denied this morning.

SPAIN CRIPPLED BY HER LIMITED SUPPLY OF COAL

Stock at Cape Verde Is Already Very Low.

Cannot Be Replenished by Purchase in This Country.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 17.—A dispatch to the Herald from Washington says:

"In view of Spain's efforts to collect coal at Havana and San Juan, no doubt exists in political circles that the naval plan for the Spanish government contemplates the dispatch of the fleet to Western waters.

"It is officially admitted that this Government has determined not to permit American coal to be taken to the Cape Verde islands on board the British tramp ship Hampstead, and that negotiations are under way for the sale of that vessel and her cargo to the United States. The Hampstead, although she was to have sailed Saturday, has not gone and her purchase will probably be announced.

"It is admitted by officials that they are trying to meet trick to trick. There is but a small amount of coal at St. Vincent, and it would be necessary for the Spanish fleet to go to some other point for fuel within a short time, as the supply at Cape Verde cannot last any length of time. It was to help the fleet now gathered at that point that the Hampstead was ordered to proceed to Cape Verde after purchasing a supply at Lambert's Point. The United States is in great need of colliers, especially one loaded with coal, and it would, therefore, be only too glad to take from Spain the vessel and her cargo and use her for offensive purposes against her first employer.

Official information received by the authorities also indicates that there is but a small quantity of coal at the Canary islands. A desperate effort is being made by Spain to ship supplies to that point and also to Cape Verde, which is evidently to be the anchorage of the fleet until war breaks out. It is impossible for Spain to procure coal in England because of the strike now in progress in the coal mines and because the English coal dealers refuse to receive promises to pay and will only sell to the Madrid government for cash.

"It is known that Spain has been floating considerable paper in continental Europe, but she has been unable to force any of it on the English merchants. Whether Spain pays cash for goods purchased in the United States is not known, but it is believed that what little money she has, she is spending for protection and the coal she is sending to Havana."

PATRIOTIC WORKINGMEN.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, April 17.—The Federation of Labor at its regular weekly meeting unanimously adopted a resolution that the people of this country should retaliate against any foreign country that might intermeddle in the present crisis by refusing to buy its products and manufactures. The paper, which was reported by Chairman Dold from the committee on resolution and passed unanimously without debate, was as follows:

"The delegates to the Chicago Federation of Labor in regular council assembled, believing it to be the duty of all citizens to assist by honorable and legitimate means in sustaining the nation in its controversy and probable hostilities with Spain, and realizing that one or more supposed friendly nations are liable to give encouragement if not actual assistance to Spain.

"We therefore declare that whenever it becomes evident that any foreign nation or people asserts its or their influence detrimental to the interests of the United States in relation to the pending difficulties with Spain, it becomes the individual duty of each citizen of the United States to abstain from the use or traffic in any article of commodity, either natural or manufactured, which is produced by such people or nation, and to effectuate this purpose we declare further that any person within the limits of the United States who, with full knowledge of the fact, does, for the purpose of profit, deal in such articles, should not receive the patronage of any patriotic American citizen."

After this resolution had been adopted, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, addressed the Federation, and among other matters touched on the war question. He said he was not an eleventh hour convert to war with Spain. As long ago as the Cincinnati convention he had advocated a free Cuba and a war for that purpose if necessary. Still he had no sympathy with the "war anyhow" spirit. There should be no war with Spain if it can be avoided with honor. A war, he said, would be a great evil to the working man who would bear the most of the hardship and suffering. They would have to do the fighting, receive the wounds, laying down their lives and leaving behind them widows and orphans. Therefore, they could have no selfish motive in advocating war.

This country, he said, certainly should put an end to the barbarous massacre and the starvation of women and children in Cuba. It also wanted reparation for the killing of its men on the Maine. Every one, of course, preferred to have these ends accepted peaceably. But if it could not be done peaceably, war was justifiable.

Mr. Gompers also spoke of the triumphal advance of organized labor. Speeches were also made by Vice-President O'Connell and others.

INSURGENTS TAKE A SPANISH FORT.

Gomez's Followers Seem Not to Have Heard of the Armistice.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, April 18.—News of further fighting between the insurgents and Spanish troops in the province of Pinar Del Rio reached here to-day.

It appears that insurgents under Lores Aguilar Rizo, made an attack two days ago upon the Spanish fort at Espujarosa, Pinar del Rio, and had the best of the fight, even according to the Spanish account of the affair.

The official report of the fight says the fort was a small one, garrisoned by volunteers, who made a "heroic defense, lasting three hours."

In the meantime, however, it is officially admitted the insurgents entered the town and plundered and burned a tobacco warehouse. The Spanish report adds that the garrison of the fort lost four men killed and had nine men wounded.

VENEZUELA'S PRESIDENT IS SLAIN IN BATTLE

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 18.—A special cablegram (copyrighted) from Caracas, Venezuela, to the Evening World, says that President Joaquin Crespo of Venezuela was killed in battle with Hernandez, the leader of the rebel forces, last Friday.

DON CARLOS' FOLLOWERS ACTIVE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, April 18.—The supporters in England of Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender, headed by the Earl of Ashburnham, are actively preparing for emergency. Every detail has been arranged to seize the popitious moment for action.

The local Carlists are convinced that the present Spanish dynasty is doomed and that Spain will be forced to choose between Republicanism and Don Carlos. They add that the only chance of the present dynasty is a successful war against the United States, the possibility of which is scouted.

WILL PAY UP GREAT BRITAIN.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 18.—The Senate has under discussion a bill to pay the Bering Sea awards amounting to $473,151 in settlement of the claims of Great Britain against the United States.

CONTRACT LET FOR NEW CABLE LINE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, April 18.—According to a special dispatch from Madrid, Senor Moret, Secretary of the Colonies, has approved a contract to lay a cable between Cadiz and Havana by way of Teneriffe nd Vieque (Crab island) nine miles east of Porto Rico.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

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SUPERVISORS HOLD A VERY SHORT SESSION

Protest Against a Road in the Dublin District.

Two Public Schools Ask for Leave to Change Names.

An unusual number of applicants appeared before the Supervisors this morning for relief, and were investigated as to their condition, after which they were referred to their respective district representatives on the Board.

The committee having in hand the matter of investigating the proportion of expenses that should be borne by the Alameda electric railroad in regard to the new Webster street bridge, asked for another week in which to report. It was granted.

Mathilda Miller, serving ninety days in the County Jail, was granted credits of thirteen days. Leander Cobb was also granted the same privilege.

The petition from the Union High School District No. 3 to have the name changed to "Hayward Union High School No. 3" was referred to the County Superintendent of Schools. The same course was taken with the petition from Laurel School District to have its name changed to Hayward School District.

Raymond Fadis of Niles made application for a liquor license. J. D. Easterday of Niles, E. B. Grueggel of Pleasant Valley, J. B. Barrocks of Orchard avenue, San Leandro road, also made similar applications for liquor license.

John Sweeney, G. T. Nusbaumer and Daniel Quinan were appointed receivers in the matter of the proposed new county road in the Townsend School District.

A protest was received against the opening of proposed road No. 2598 from Dublin to Pleasanton through the lands of Mrs. Anna Green, Manuel Borges, Mrs. Esbelia Maria, Miss Ellen Chabot, and E. R. Lilienthal.

The protest says: "We already having two good roads leading from Dublin to Pleasanton, the said road would be a heavy expense to the taxpayers to build and keep in repair as it would pass over the lowlands and swamps between the above-named places and would not be traveled during the winter months."

The protestants will be heard next Monday at 11 A. M.

Supervisor Roeth introduced a resolution providing for the transfer of $500 from the general road fund to the Claremont Road District fund. Mr. Talcott argued that with the prospect of deficits in some road funds it would be inadvisable to make such transfer, and the resolution was killed.

The petition of H. Momsen to have the gate now maintained by Daniel Culp across private road, removed, will be considered next Monday.

Under suspension of the rules, the bill of E. B. Stone for $1123 for road work done in Brooklyn Township was ordered paid.

Supervisor Wells was authorized by resolution to have five tanks constructed in his district at a cost not to exceed $125 each, and he was also empowered to accept the bid of Joseph Mello to make all necessary connections to supply the tanks with water.

The Board adjourned till next Monday.

COAL DECLARED CONTRABRAND.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 18.—"In directing her colonies to regard coal as contraband of war in the event of hostilities between the United States and Spain, Great Britain has taken action, administration officials say, in line with the wishes of the President and naval authorities," says the Washington correspondent of the Herald.

"Pressure will be exerted upon France, Hayti and San Domingo to accomplish the same result and some attention is being given by the State Department to South American countries with a view to securing from them a declaration of the contraband character of coal, as well as an announced determination on their part not to sell either to Spanish or American men-of-war a supply of fuel greater than that necessary to enable the belligerent vessel to steam to the next home port.

"So far as the Danish West Indies are concerned, the authorities have purchased in their ports all the coal that it is possible to secure. With coal a contraband of war, administration officials and naval experts say it will be impossible for Spanish vessels to operate in the West Indies or on the Pacific Coast, and as a result the chances for the success of American arms would be immeasureably enhanced.

"Great Britain's declaration of the contraband character of coal will affect the United States at only one point—in the far East. The United States now has at Hong Kong a fleet of six vessels—the cruisers Baltimore, Olympia, Raleigh and Boston, and gunboats Concord and Petrel—and these ships are awaiting the word to rush to Manilla.

"If the fortifications of the Philippines should stand off the American fleet for any length of time, the operations of the vessels would be greatly embarrassed, for, by England's declaration, her colonists will be only allowed to sell to either belligerent a supply only sufficient to take him to his home port.

"Appreciating the position assumed by the British Government, Commander Dewey, acting under instructions from Secretary Long, has purchased a large quantity of coal and has stored it on board two colliers, which will accompany his fleet to the Philippines. Extended operations would necessitate a renewal of the supply and the central position of Hawaii is pointed to by naval experts who want it for naval base.

"Hawaii is four thousnad miles from the Philippines. Her position in the family of nations would compel her to observe strict neutrality and not to favor one belligerent more than another, but her annexation to the United States, it is pointed out, would result in placing supplies for the Asiatic squadron two thousand miles nearer to the vessels than would be the case if coal, munitions of war, etc., had to be shipped from the United States. It is also pointed out that Hawaii will find it necessary to sell coal to a Spanish vessel coming in at Honolulu sufficient to take it a portion of the way to its next home post, just as she would sell coal to an American ship.

"In the event that coal is declared contraband of war by France, Hayti and San Domingo, naval authorities say it will be impossible for Spanish vessels to secure fuel in the West Indies.

"Official information has reached the State Department, as the Herald announced this morning, that Spain has been shipping large quantities of coal and provisions into Havana and San Juan, and the President is contemplating action which will prevent any further supplies from being exported from this country.

"Examination made of the diplomatic correspondence on file in the State Department shows that President Lincoln directed his Secretary of the Treasury in April, 1862, to prohibit the shipment of coal to southern ports. These instructions were issued during war and the action was subsequently legalized by act of Congress, but the authorities have no doubt that Congress would approve similar action at this time by President McKinley. Strong representations have been made to the President by Secretary Long and naval experts to get him to instruct the Secretary of the Treasury to decline to grant clearances to ships carrying provisions and coal to Spanish ports.

"With coal contraband of war, it will be possible for American cruisers to seize vessels carrying it to Spanish possessions. The Canary islands will be admittedy a Spanish base of operations and it will be the effort of this Government to blockade them and seize any vessels which may try to bring contraband from any country to them. This will be especially the case with Cuba and Porto Rico.

DIRE THREATS FROM A MARQUIS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 18.—The Marquis de Guirior, First Secretary of the Spanish Embassy in London, said to the World correspondent: "Although the Cortes will not meet until Wednesday, that need not prevent Spain from declaring war before then, should she desire to do so.

"But before she does, let her remember the extent of her coasts, the amount of her commerce and that we have scores of ships of almost every European nationality ready and willing to sail under letters of marque.

"As to the absurd story in circulation about a letter and a telegram said to have been sent by General Weyler—the first expressing joy at the destruction of the Maine, and the second desiring that the communication be destroyed—they do not even deserve the name of canards; they are the creations of stupidity.

"General Weyler is neither a fool nor a beast. He would have to be both to express joy at the destruction of hundreds of fellow creatures.

"It has been suggested that Spain will be in difficulty regarding coal. Well, if it has been decided that coal is contraband of war, I have received no official intimation of the fact.

"The United States would be in precisely the same difficulty, or rather in a worse plight, for we have hundreds of thousands of tons at Porto Rico. As to America being able to seize that port immediately, it would be just as sensible for me to talk of our capturing Chicago at once. Capital is being made out of the manifesto of Don Carlos. Bah! It is worth nothing; does not even disturb the Spanish Government."

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Electrical Roads

It is estimated that, at the present time, there are invested in electrical railways in the United States, $1,500,000,000.

Ten years ago there were no roads, except two short experimental lines, operated by electricity, in the United States. The first of these was at Richmond, Va., which after a short trial was declared impractical.

The second was tested at St. Joseph, Mo., between New Ulm and the mule street car barns, in the northern part of that city. Adolph Steinacher, a St. Louis born boy, was the president of the mule car road. He was possessed of illimitable patience, unbounded perseverance, and an almost unexcelled fund of common sense. Through his efforts the line was extended to Market Square and then to the extreme southern limits of the city, making a continuous line of about six miles.

Steinacher died several years since, but lived to see electrical railroads an accomplished fact.

At present St. Joseph has one of the most complete systems in the country, under the superintendency of W. L. Van Brunt.

After success at St. Joseph the system was again taken up and perfected at Richmond, Va.

Denver, Col., was the third city to adopt the system, and after that the throughout the country, seem to have throughout t hecountry, seems to have been spontaneous and it cannot be traced to cities in succession.

From this country the system spread throughout the world and is today universal.

The great west has stood sponsor to many vital improvements, has done much to advance civilization, but to a Missouri city belongs the credit of having demonstrated the utility of electrical street cars.—From the St. Louis Star.

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FATALLY BURNED BY GASOLINE.

An Alameda Cripple the Unfortunate Victim.

She Dies After Hours of the Greatest Agony.

Miss Mary Yordi died at a sanitarium in Alameda yesterday. Death resulted from severe burns which the young lady received by the explosion of a gasoline stove at her home, 2213 Pacific avenue, in that city.

The young woman lived with her brother, John Yordi, who drives an oil wagon for Kennedy's agency of this city. At the time of the accident she was alone in the little cottage and was cooking her breakfast. She was a cripple and a sufferer from inflammatory rheumatism, and when the burning gasoline was thrown over her and her hair and clothing became ignited, she groped blindly to the door and rolled down a flight of stairs.

Henry E. Koehler, a musician, who lives next door to the Yordi cottage, heard the young woman's screams and rushing to her, extinguished the flames. He then had her taken to a sanitarium for treatment. It was found that the flames had burned the hair from the woman's head and that the face, shoulders and back were blistered. The flesh of the arms was so scorched that it was ready to fall from the bones.

After the rescue of the woman the fire department was summoned and quickly extinguished the flames in the house.

Coroner Baldwin held an inquest on the remains today.

TRY THESE.

Try a sun-bath for rheumatism.

Try a wet towel to the back of the neck when sleepless.

Try swallowing saliva when troubled with sour stomach.

Try buttermilk for removing freckles, tan and butternut stains.

Try taking your cod liver oil in tomato sauce, if you want to make it palatable.

Try a hot, dry flannel over the seat of neuralgic pain, and renew it frequently.

Try a cloth, wrung out from cold water, put about the neck at night, for sore throat.

Try walking with your hands behind you if you find yourself becoming bent forward.

Try planting sun-flowers in your garden if compelled to live in a malarial neighborhood.—New York Ledger.

No matter how much we dislike people, we can never see why they should not feel kindly disposed toward us.

ADMINISTRATOR'S AUCTION

Of the Oil Paintings Formerly Belonging to the Late Dr Samuel Merritt, on Thursday, April 21, 1898, at Storerooms of M. Marcuse, No. 918 Broadway, at 2 O'clock P. M.

By order of the administrator of the estate of Mrs. C. Garcelon, deceased, I shall sell at public auction, for cash, without reserve, the Dr. Merritt collection of forty-one elegant oil paintings, comprising paintings by J. Liga, Giosanni Benani, Guiseppe Gherardi, A. Norman, Raffetto, Paulyn, F. Gally, Miecis, L. Netchu, Salvator Rosa, Vignali, Carlos Dolci, Lucherelli, Fullenburg, Pacono and other celebrities. Pictures will be on exhibition at salesroom until day of sale.

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